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OUR CITY PEOPLE.

—Blodau for drugs, 102 Indiana, ave.

—Miss Jennie Harvey is improving, after a short illness.

—Mrs. Ed Simmons, of East Seventh street, is seriously ill.

—Earnest Osborn will sing at Bethel church November 11th.

—Miss Mamie White will return to her home in Springfield, Ohio, Sunday morning.

—Music! Music!! Music!!! at Allen Chapel November 10th. Don't fail to attend.

—Miss Hattie Davis has returned to her home in Arcadia, after a pleasant visit with friends.

—Albert Milton, of Marion, is visiting friends in the city; he expects to make this his future home.

- John Thompson, of 356 W. Second street, is rapidly improving, after a serious spell of sickness.

—Mrs. Ella Robbins, of Dublin, passed through the city this week on her way to Omaha, Nebraska.

—Don't fail to hear Jerry Franklin, John Tolliver and Steve Alexander, at Allen Chapel November 10th.

—Don't forget Madame Preston and daughter at Bethel church Tuesday evening, November 11th. Admission 15 and 10 cents.

—The Domestic laundry, No. 73 N. Illinois street, the best place to get good work. Shirts only 10 cts. W. A. Cox, proprietor. tf.

—John Williams, of this city, now a student at Bloomington University, has returned to his studies, having come home to vote.

—Miss L. C. Brady, of The Freeman office, has been on the sick list for a few days. Miss Lizzie Rogister fills her place temporarily.

—Miss Allie Woods and Mrs. Lizzie Snell-Scott, Indianapolis' favorite singers will appear at Allen Chapel Monday evening in the musical entertainment.

—Mrs. Washington Carpenter and Mrs. Alex. Starks were called to the bedside of their sister, Mrs. Malissa Mitchell, who lies dangerously ill in Seymore, Ind.

—The musical entertainment to be given under the auspices of Phillip lodge, No. 22 at Allen Chapel is to be a grand affair. An excellent program has been prepared. Don't miss it.

—Among the Washington contingent who came home to vote may be mentioned Messrs. Chas. H. Lanier, Albert Farley, Rufus Grear and Harry W. Furniss. Mr. Lanier left for Washington Friday morning.

—The funeral of Mrs. Vandyke, whose sudden death occurred at the Second Baptist church Sunday evening, was conducted at that church last Tuesday afternoon, by the lodge, of which she was a member.

—George D. Johnson, formerly of the Denison House barber shop, has purchased a one-half interest in the elegant tonsorial parlors of Willis Jeffries, 10 and 12 North Meridian street. He will make many improvements, and invites his friends to pay him a visit.

—Brockway, at the corner of Indiana Ave., and Mississippi street, is selling the most stylish foot wear in the city for the least money. Ladies' it will pay you to see his $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 fine shoes. Courteous treatment and honest goods. 100 Indiana avenue, Pfafflin block.

—The first quarterly meeting of Bethel church will take place Sunday. Rev. H. H. Thompson, presiding elder will preach in the morning, Rev. J. A. Davis in the afternoon and Rev. J. H. Clay, the pastor, in the evening. The Lord's Supper will be administered in the afternoon. The public is cordially invited to be present.

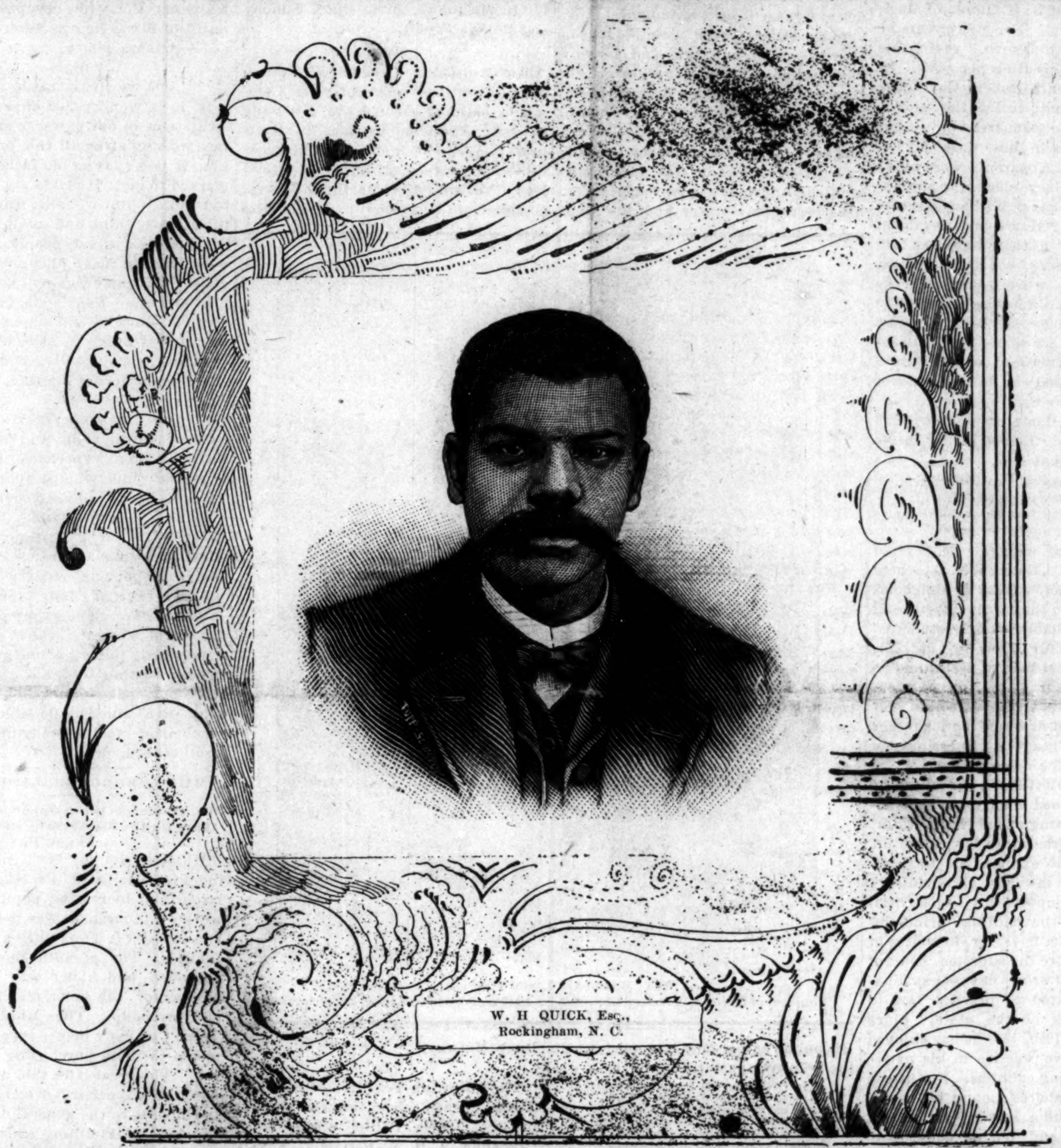
—A grand entertainment will be given at Simpson Chapel Nov. 19, by Mrs. Parker for the benefit of the church. A good programme has been arrangedand will be rendered by some of our best talent. Such as Miss Burdie Taylor, Wm. Collins, Miss Mamie Clay, Miss Mary Palmer, Madam Sissle and others. A good time is expected, and every body is invited to attend. Refreshments in abundance. Tickets now on sale. tf.

—The Ninth colored Presbyterian church, corner Tennessee and Michigan streets, has organized a choir with the to lowing members, who will sing Sunday mornings: Misses Beulah Wright, Lizzie Reed, Kate Crossen, Mesdames Mattie Richt and C. M. Harvey, Messrs. Ed Jones, Chas. Lewis, G. Harris, S. A. Furniss, Geo. Keeble, G. Hill, Robt. Prim; Sherman Davis, organist; Prof. A. L. Anthony director. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m; Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the general public. Rev. J. A. Riley, pastor.

—The grand opening of the dancing school last Tuesday evening was an elegant affair. The ladies and gents appeared in full dress and gorgeously arrayed in flowers. The grand march was led by Benj. Mann, owing to the sickness of George Brooks. Thirty-two couple joined in the march. Pandan Bros'. orchestra rendered excellent music for the occasion. Lessons will be given Tuesday evenings, commencing at 8 o'clock. Messrs. Franklin, Brooks, Stokes, and M. F. White, managers will spare no pains to make it pleasant for all.

A Really Meritorious Newspaper.

Editor Edward E. Cooper, of The Freeman, the leading colored paper of the United States, and one of the really meritorious illustrated weekly papers of the country, can certainly be proud of his achievement in the journalistic field. The Freeman was started about two years ago, and seems to have wonderfully filled a long and very popular want with the colored people, not only in this city, but the entire country, as it immediately acquired a large and paying circulation, as well as a most liberal advertising patronage, and became at once a most valuable business enterprise. It is conducted with marked ability, is independent in politics and with its corps of able contributors promises soon to become the recognized organ of the colored race throughout the country.—The Independent.



W. H QUICK, Esq.,
Rockingham, N. C.

HEALTHY SIGNS OF PROGRESS.

What the Race is Doing in the West—Personals—Socials—etc.

Kansas City, Kan., Special to The Freeman.

At 1325 west Eleventh street, is to be found one of Kansas City's most enterprising ladies, Mrs. V. J. Miner, the celebrated dress-maker. Mrs. Miner has a dozen or more of the fair sex in her employ, and pays them all good salaries. She is the owner of considerable real estate both in Kansas City, Mo., and Armoudale, Kan.; she has a good income, and her checks are honored at the National Bank of Commerce. Mr. Miner her husband, is the propriertor of a neat cosmopolitan barber shop on 12th street, where no color line is drawn.

Mrs. Priscilla Thomas, of 526 Nebraska avenue, has been very indisposed for the last few days.

Mrs. N. W. Guy has removed from 712 Nebraska street to Minne avenue, between 8th and 9th streets.

Charles Brown, of 1714 W. Ninth street, the practical barber, is said to be a "dandy" at his profession.

Onnie Green, of Springfield, O., is visiting the metropolis of the sunflower state. He will no doubt make this city his future home.

Miss Laura Parker, one of our public school teachers, has returned from Springfield, O., where she was called to attend the funeral of her mother.

B. O. Hughes, of 338 Everett avenue, the scientific portrait artist. is making a decided hit in the west. His life-size work is equal to any produced by any of his competitors.

Prof. Wilton R. Boone, B. D., pastor of Metropolitan Baptist church, treated his congregation to a very interesting panoramic lecture, Monday evening. The door receipts were good.

Geo. A. Dudley, manager of the American Citizen, has been the sufferer from a serious sprain of the ankle for three or four weeks. We shall be glad to see George out soon.

Prof. Samuel I. Lee, of 915 E. Eleventh street, music teacher, has a large class of scholars. He has his hands full the year round. Mrs. Lee is well known as the scientific scene painter of the city.

It will afford us much pleasure to give from time to time a synopsis of the doings among the thrifty; at this writing we desire to give the many readers of The Freeman the following items of interest:

The Kansas City Sunday Sun will paint the evil doings among all classes irrespective of color or previous condition of servitude, whether teacher, preacher or what not. We are looking for more development. "Would-be's" had better be on the lookout.

For the accommodation of our friends we shall keep a few copies of The Freeman on hand for sale at 526 Nebraska avenue, where all communications for the paper will be gladly received. We would suggest if you wish to get The Freeman cheap and regularly, join a club of subscribers.

John W. Smith of 1412 Vine street, city buyer for the Dowden, McElroy Wholesale Grocery Co., is indeed making a mark which many others of our people would be proud to have the opportunity to make. Mr. Smith holds a responsible position, and wears the name of being an upright young man. He was for a number of years city buyer for the Gregory Grocery Co., of this city.

Regulus.

MARCHING THROUGH GEORGIA.

Afro-Americans and their Doings—Personals—Socials.

Washington, Ga., Special to The Freeman.

Rev. C. C. Cargile will preach his farewell sermon at the A M E Church on Sunday night.——Rev. E. H. Zeigler will lead Miss Ida Bonner to the altar on Monday night.——Master J. H. Jarrett returned from the "gate city" on Friday.——Mr. Sim Jones is one of Washington's best shoe-makers. ——Rev. L. Williams is visiting friends and relatives in Albany, Ga.——Mr. J. H. Henderson, the grocer buys and sells the very best candies.——Prof. M. W. Letman, will leave for his home in Greenwood, S. C., we wish him a plesant stay.——Capt. N. B. Hawkins left for Athens on Monday.——Misses Emma Heard and Mary Scott left for Atlanta on Thursday.——Wm. Burns is a fine painter.——Jack Wingfield and sons are repairing a house for Frank Branham.——Jeff Hilliard a prominent colored citizen fell dead in the racket store on last Saturday; it was a very sad death.——Rev. J. S. Jordan a young minister is likely to join the A M E Conference in Cartersville this year.——Alex. Pettus has returned from Augusta with his wife, we wish him success in his married life.——C. A. Wingfield is the agent for The Freeman.

The Daughters of Ruth, of Buffalo N. Y., gave an "Apron Social" last week which displayed a great deal of fine, plain and fancy needle work.

THE MONUMENTAL CITY.

Our Valiant Sentinel far to the East in St. Mary's land Furnishes us With an Account of the Important Events that Have Happened Lately in the Beautiful City of Baltimore.

Baltimore Md., Special to The Freeman.

One of the most brilliant social events which has occured in Baltimore took place on last Wednesday evening at the residence of Jerome Wilson on Hoffman street; the occasion was the wedding of John Hurst Secretary of the Haytian Legation to Miss Kate Thompson of this city. The civil part of the ceremony was performed by Hon. Hamilton Price the Haytian Minister. He delivered a thoughtful and timely address to the couple at the conclusion of the ceremony which was highly appreciated by all. The religious portion of the ceremony was performed by Rev. B. F. Lee editor of the Christian Recorder of Philadelphia. At the conclusion of both services an elaborate collation was served, the groom presented the bride with a handsome gold watch the hands of which were studded with solitaire diamonds. The presents were many an handsome. Among the many present were Mr. A. J. Reed and wife, Mr. Keys and wife Mrs. Jas Deaver, Misses Mollie Taylor, Bessie Sims, Estelle Cummings, Mollie Lusty, Ida Cummings, Lottie Blay, Agnes Piper, Addie Conner, Nellie Anderson, Gertie Anderson, Maria Matthews, Abie Matthews, Mr. Key and wife, J. H. Smyth and wife of Washington; Messrs. Jas Credill, Harry Cummings, Jas. Bradford, Columbus Rodman and many others.

John Pratt Jr., will soon leave the city for Chicago.

The colored Republicans of the 11th ward made a vigorous, brave and manly fight for their nominee, Harry Cummings.

Hon. Jno. Dalzell of Pittsburg, delivered an eloquent speech at the Republican ratification meeting at the Concordia Opera House.

Col. Fellows the District Attorney made famous in New York by his failure to try so many boodle aldermen, spoke in this city for the Democrats.

The hotly contested political contest has at last closed and the votes will soon decide the success, the battle has been stubbornly contested from start to finish and the victors were not victorious without fighting. The vanquished alike may congratulate themselves for their vigorous efforts to win. Seldom has the political pulse ever arised to such fever heat, seldom has such a thorough vote been polled in an off year.

Mr. Hiram Watty a prominent politician of this city and special agent of the Treasury, was united in marriage on Wednesday evening to Miss Lula Carter one of Baltimore's best girls. The wedding was a grand affair and the fact that the couple was so well known brought many to their finely fitted residence on West Lanvale street, where the ceremony was performed. The presents were handsome and useful. An excellent collation was served after the ceremony. Among the many present were W. E. Mathers of Washington, J. A. Smith, Mr. Cook and wife, Rev. W. H. Weaver, Miss Mamie Price, J. N. Stith and wife, A. M. Cummings, T. S. Cummings, Rev. S. G. Griffin, J H. Smith, Isaac Meyers and wife and many others.

The Pride of the Race.

Danville, Va., Special to The Freeman.

Mr. E. E. Cooper:—I am more than well pleased with The Freeman. This paper should be the pride of our race. I look upon it as the real national organ of the Afro-Americans. Danville is a proud little city with progressive citizens and as pastor of 900 members, I shall gladly render what aid I can to The Freeman. W. F. Graham.

Some white toughs of Wilmington, Del., accustomed to insulting colored ladies, made a mistake lately and assulted two respectable white ladies, and apologized by saying, "We thought you were colored people."

Large crowds have been in attendance at the camp meeting held at Selma, Alabama.

The State Baptist Association of Arkansas met in extra session at Forrest City November 6th.

Rev. A. Calhoun, of San Jose, Cal., has disposed of his prosperity in that city and will reside elsewhere.

There are chances that the A. M. E. people of Detroit will rid themselves very soon of a burdensome church debt.

Rev. Simmons, of Columbus, Ga., and Rev. S. A. Davis, of Opelika, Fla., were at the Selma, Alamba, camp meeting.

Bishop Lomax has changed the meeting of the Board of Bishops from Mobile, Ala., to Washington, D. C.; time November 12.

The A. M. E. church of Halifax, Nova Scotia, gave a grand concert recently. The pastor is Rev. J. W. Crosby who is an enterprising man.

Rev. E. T. Anderson, A. M., lectured October 13th in Zion church, San Jose, Cal., to a good audience on his four years' experience in Great Britain.

Rev. B. J. Jones, of Henderson, North Carolina, is doing a splendid work for the people of his vicinity. He has lately succeeded in erecting an elegant church.

Matthias McDuffy, of South Carolina, is in Key West, Fla., to take charge of the St. Albans' Mission. He is reported as being a talented gentleman and one of the finest catechists of the race.

The members of the Disney, Yarmouth, N. S., chapel of the A. M. E. church, who had deserted their church through the immoral life of the pastor, Rev. Alexander Kersey, was leading, have resumed their membership since the removal of Mr. Kersey to Liverpool, N. S. The newly appointed minister is a Mr. Smith, of Shelburne, N. S.

The colored portion of Pensacola, Florida, is minus one of its best citizens, ablest divines, accomplished gentlemen and a model young man in the person of the Rev. George P. McKinney. He left a few weeks ago to accept the pastorate of the Baptist church at Live Oak, also to serve as one of the teachers of the school connected with his denomination.

During a protracted meeting which was being held at Beulah church, Sumter, South Carolina, last week, Primus Jones who expressed a doubt of the supernatural powers of the ministers, Rev. A. H. Durant, to kill and restore to life was killed as a test case. He did not come back to life and the jury composed of Afro-Americans found the pastor and his accomplice, Richard Campbell guilty of murder.

News reached us a few days ago of the death of Rev. Burrell Short, of Pine Bluff. Rev. Short was one of the oldest Baptist preachers in the State, but was an active worker in the convention and college work up to the time he was strickened down a few weeks ago. As late as last August he made a strong speech to the young men in the denomination, counciling them to unite in the work. Rev. S. L. Short the successful young pastor at Haynes, is a son of Rev. Burl Short.—The Friend.

The presiding elders of the First Episcopal district of the African Methodist church held secret sessions in the Charles Street M. E. church, Boston, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Bishop Henry McNeil Turner was presiding officer. The district, which includes four conferences, is represented as follows: Philadelphia conference, Rev. C. T. Schaefer, D. D., Rev. J. M. Palmer, A. M., Rev. W. H. Brown; New Jersey conference, Rev. J. H. Morgan, Rev. J. C. Ayler, Rev. Ira H. Yemmons; New York conference, Rev Israel Derricks, Rev. R. F. Hurley; New England, Rev. Tillman Russell Geda.

☞A farewell reception was tendered the retiring pastor of the Salem New Bedford, Mass., Baptist church last Friday week. The vestry of the church was very prettily bedecked with flowers among which in the centre of the room was a floral bell. There was rendered before a very large audience a pleasing musical and literary program, consisting of a recitation by Miss Ella Cook, piano solo by Miss Bertha D. Reed, reading, Benjamin Drummond, solo, Miss Bessie Mitchell, flute solo, Benjamin Andress, recitations Misess Samplin and Yates. Mrs. L. P. Willams, in a very neat address, then presented him with a purse of sixty-six dollars, which amount has been increased to about seventy dollars.

WILLIAM HARVEY QUICK.

Author of "Negro Stars in all Ages of the World"—Attorney and etc.

The subject of this sketch was born near the town of Rockingham, N. C., November 24th, 1856, of slave parents, namely John Quick, who died in August 1861; he was a house carpenter of some repute, and was claimed as the slave property of B. H. Quick, of Marlboro county, S. C. For many years he was "his own hired man," giving his master $300 for his time per year. In this way he met Elizabeth Covington in North Carolina; in 1855 they married. She was the seamstress for all her white neighbors in those dark days of oppression. Both parents were noted for their examplary character and industry. Three boys, William Harvey, Addison E. and Harrison Ingraham, were the fruit of their wedlock. On Thursday morning, about 10 o'clock, March 9th, 1865, when young Harvey was eight years old he was wounded in the lower thigh by a musket shot by the hands of a playmate; and, but for that care and attention, which only a mother knows and can bestow he never could have recovered.

Mr. Quick, though a youth, had relish for books. Remembering, as he doubtless did, that

> "The heights by men reached and kept,
> Were not attained by sudden flight;
> But they, while their companions slept
> Were toiling upward in the night."

At the age of eighteen he entered Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C., where he proved himself worthy of high commendation from the faculty, docile and very companionable with the students. After a masterful effort to fit himself for a broader field of usefulness he commenced reading law in an unostensible way, under the direction (not instruction) of first one and another of the white lawyers. Subsequently he entered the office of Hon. J. S. Leary, of Fayettville, N. C., where he read and reasoned much to the satisfaction of his distinguished legal tutor. While some of the white lawyers of his town refused to explain an intricate question of the law, yet, all blandishly declined to import any substantial instruction in the cardinal principles of the law. He, hoverver, in course of time went before the supreme court of the state, and after two days of examination was admitted to practice law in all the courts of the state. Since February the 12th, 1884 he has enjoyed a good lucrative practice in his native and surrounding counties. For fifteen years he has labored among his people as a teacher and a leader. He taught in Richmond and Wayne counties in North Carolina and also in Marlboro county South Carolina.

In 1886 Mr. Quick engaged very actively in the ever memorable campaign between Hayes and Tilden. And but for the weakness of President Hayes, who claimed the honor of being a Republican, Mr. Quick's party would have served the Palmetto State with its continued administrations. In 1884 Mr. Quick was nominated by the Republican party of his county for the House of Representatives, but, by reason of fraud in various ways contrived by the opposition, he was counted out. Though holding no position of trust or public honor, he wields great influence in the "Pee Dee" section of the State. Distinguished for sobrieiy, industry, kindness and reciprocity toward friends in private life, wearing the bright jewel of consistency in every town of affairs, in politics as well as general business, in adversity as well as in prosperity.

In March, 1979, he commenced the publication of a newspaper entitled "The Advance." And its whole tenor was advance, morally, socially and educationally and materially. But, owing to circumstances beyond his control, the little journal was doomed to rest from its labors. He was married April 22nd, 1880, to Miss S. A. Morse. The fruits of this happy union are two bright minded boys, Freddie Douglass and Eddison Evans.

March 29th, 30th and 31st of 1882 found him in a State Convention of leading representative colored men at Goldsboro, setting forth their grievances before the country. Hon. J. C. Dancy, then of Tarboro, was president and A. S. Richardson, secretary. This was the greatest body of colored men that every assembled in the state. The claims and sufferings, the rights and wrongs of the race were very forcibly laid before the public. Mr. Quick was a very energetic member, working on one of the most important committees. To this committee was referred all resolutions and matters pertaining to the interests of the colored race. The great Prohibition cause in 1881 brought him prominently before the public again, he supporting the moral side of the question, in this struggle he met and crossed swords with some of the leading Anti-Prohibitionists. At different times and places he has yielded to requests to deliver lectures and addresses which is, by the way, his forte and chief delight. He corresponds regularly with some of the leading white and colored newspapers in the State, often under a "nom deplume" on the demands of the hour and the social political relation of the races in the United States.

Mr. Quick was secretary, in 1884 and 1886 of the executive committee of the Sixth Congressional District, which, running east and west, connected Wilmington on the coast with Charlotte in the granite hills of Western North Carolina. His practice of the law from the beginnig, took somewhat of a wide range, embracing nearly the whole catalogue of crimes and civil cases involving many argumentative points. His first case was that of Arthur Bennett charged with the murder of George Brown near Laurel Hill: among others were John Jackson charged with burglary and larceny and Johnson Thomas, burglary. He succeeded in restoring Bennett to the affection of his mother and Thomas to the bossom of his wife and children and friends. William Harvey Quick is an aggressive debator and a christian gentleman devoted always to his family, his friends, his country and his God.

REV. WILLIAM J. SIMMONS, D. D.,
President of Eckstein Industrial College, Ky., Author of "Men of Mark," lately deceased.

His public career may be sumed up in the following pastoral:

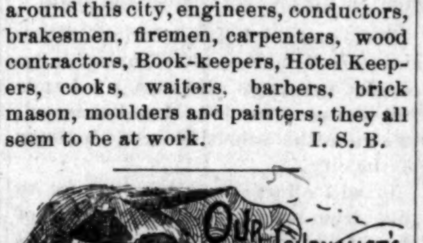
> "To virtue and her friends a friend,
> Still may my voice the weak defend
> And never prostitute my tongue.
> By protecting the oppressor in his wrong;
> Nor wrest the spirit of the laws,
> To santify the villian in his cause."

M. G. M.

Campania del Ferrocarril de Monterey al Golfo Mexicano Departamento Ejecutivo.

Monterey, Mexico, Special to THE FREEMAN.

This beautiful city is located in a valley surrounded by mountains, wonderful scenery and is located just 168 miles from the Rio Grande river one way and another way 310, The population is estimated at 15,000. The inhabitants are Spaniards; the colored people numbering 85. The colored population of this city get anything it is competent to do. We have in and around this city, engineers, conductors, brakesmen, firemen, carpenters, wood contractors, Book-keepers, Hotel Keepers, cooks, waiters, barbers, brick mason, moulders and painters; they all seem to be at work. I. S. B.


Our Journalist's and Literary Folks.

One-half interest in the Galveston Weekly Test is for sale.

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Prof. C. W. Grandison of Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C., has been visiting in New England lately.

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Mr. Will Crittenden the colored professor of Greek and Latin at Oberlin, Ohio, has accepted a position in a North Carolina College.

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Among the pupils attending the Detroit Medical College are Frank Mitchell, Albert Johnson and Mr. Messon, all colored.

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The Tennessee Central College Nashville, Tenn., has five native African boys who are being educated for work in their native country.

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Prof. Charles D. Howard, a graduate of Livingstone College, N. C., has been appointed principal of the colored graded school at Charlotte, N. C.

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Mr J H Kennedy of Bangor, Maine has accepted a lucrative position on the Bangor Daily Press. He was formerly on the Daily Commercial.

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Livingstone College, N. C., has as many students now as she did February last. This shows that this is to be the most successful term yet held. Number enrolled 122.

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The Eckstein Norton University of Cane Spring, Ky., opened with 20 boarders. The faculty, has 7 teachers. Among the boarders were representatives of six states. William J. Simmons the president, has just died.

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The following are the colored teachers of Pensacola, Florida: School No 54, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart and Mrs. Eliza Holland; school No 31, Mrs. R. H. Matthews and F. B. Taylor; school in western part of the city, Mr. R. H. Matthews, Mrs. Clara Sunday and Robert Taylor.

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The Authentic Lyceum of Petersburgh, Va., has reorganized at Coleman's hall and elected the following officers: President Thomas G. Matthews: Vice-President Miss Rebecca Coles: Secretary Miss Fannie Crawley: Treasurer Miss Martha C. Myers; Chaplain W. H. Dabney: Critic Miss Lucy McCray.

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The following Teachers of Brenham Texas, opened school the first Monday in Oct. Miss Pollie Winn, Masie Crenshaw, J. H. M. Randle, C. S. Williamson, Miss L. E. Flewellen and M. J. Alexander, Mrs. Rhoda Townsend, J T. Harris and wife open school the first Monday in November.

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An attempt to name a colored school in St. Louis, Mo., the Hancock School, has aroused the indignation of the Afro-Americans who have held a mass meeting in opposition to the naming. Mr. Fred Dorsey was chairman and was out-spoken in his denunciation of a certain military order of the late General which forbid colored people riding in the street cars of New Orleans. The name will be changed.

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Rev. Dr. Francis J. Grimke has resigned as public school trustee for the seventh divison District of Columbia, and his resignation has been accepted. The resignation grew out of a controversy over the selection of a site for the new colored school building in the seventh divison. Supt. of colored schools Cook, Supervising Principal H. P. Montgomery, and Rev. Dr. Grimke trustee, selected a site, but their choice was overruled by the Commissioners, and the building was located in Georgetown. Some correspondence between the Commissioners and Dr. Grimke ensued, culminating in the resignation of the latter. Dr. Grimke was appointed a school trustee in Sept., 1889, for a term of three years.

I was half dead with the rheumatism and other diseases. I am now free from pain and I can truthfully state that the Gun Wa Chinese Herb Remedy Co.'s remedies have greatly benefitted me.

Mrs. Hattie Scott, Frankfort, Ind.

Clippings. Here & There.

ENTERPRISING YOUNG MEN.

The young men, of Louisville, are becoming interested in poultry breeding after seeing the great success and fame it has bestowed upon Frank R. Willis, the breeder of game fowls.

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THE HATCHET BURIED.

Life is too short to be wasted in petty worries, frettings, hatreds and vexations. Let us banish all these, and think on "whatsoever things are pure and lovely, and gentle and of good report.—Weekly Echo.

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SPEAK PLAINLY.

The man who addresses untaught colored people need to speak plainly as well for his personal safety as for the uplifting of the race. A few months since a minister of South Georgia spoke to an assembly of colored people; he gave them wholesome advice encouraging them to unite to advance their interest as a race, to buy homes and to educate their children. He was reported to the white people as saying the Negroes should come together and whip out the white people, and the result of it was he was severely whipped.—Atlanta Times.

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WE MUST LEARN.

It is a wonder God does not take away some of our power to sing. As a race we sing away all the problems of life. It seems, as an old father once remarked to me; "it makes my head ache to think." But we must learn to read, investigate, think and solve, before we can become a great people. Thus we must learn to make and save money, catch the cheap bargains, keep out of debt and etc. Man should have a well thought out plan and object in every things that he does. He who has no plan and object will accomplish but little.—Southern Christian Recorder.

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SELF RELIANCE.

The fact is obvious, and founded upon a common experience, that man, when he relies wholly upon his own energies in life, succeed generally in obtaining a comfortable support for himself—if not a fortune. Nothing gives so good an assurance of welldoing as the personal activity of an individual exerted daily for his own interest. To make happy progress in the world is to go a head in a firm and persevering pursuit of one good object, neither turning to the right nor the left, but making our business our pleasure as much as possible, until we reach the goal of our desire.—The Brotherhood.

MIDDLEBOROUGH LAND SALE.

The Home Seeker's Opportunity — One Fare for the Round Trip via the C. H. and D. R. R.

Middlesborough, Ky., now has an invested capital of $26,500,000 with a large and increasing population and work for thousands. For the capitalists and invester it offers unrivalled opportunities. The gigantic improvements projected and under way make it a Mecca for the home-seeking artisan and mechanic. The Middlesborough Town Company makes special inducements to those purchasing and building. The great land sale at Middlesborough will occur November 10th and in response to the general demand, the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton R. R. will sell on November 7th and 8th tickets to Middlesborough and return at one-fare for the round trip from all points on the line. For rates, pamphlets and full information apply to any agent of the C. H. & D., or E. O. McCormick, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Rev. John H. Clay, pastor Vermont street A. M. E. Church, says: "I have been satisfactorily treated for Catarrh of the head by the Gun Wa Chinese Herb Remedies, and will cheerfully recommend them." Parlors 25 West Washington street, Indianapolis, Ind. Office hours 9 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

SOUTHERN LAND SALE.

A Golden Opportunity to Secure a Home —Half Rates via the Big Four Route.

On account of the land lale at Middlesborough, Ky., November 10th, 1890. the Big Four Route will sell tickets, November 7th and 8th, good fifteen days returning, at one fare for the round trip.

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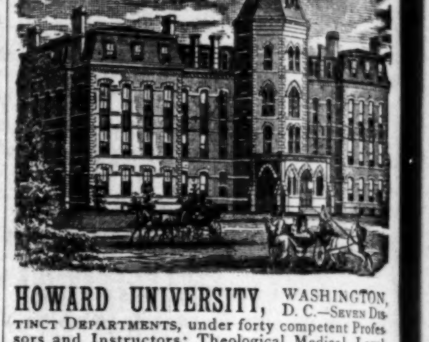

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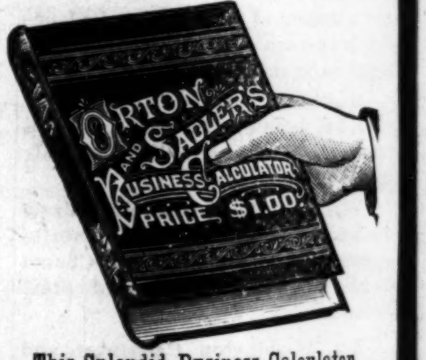
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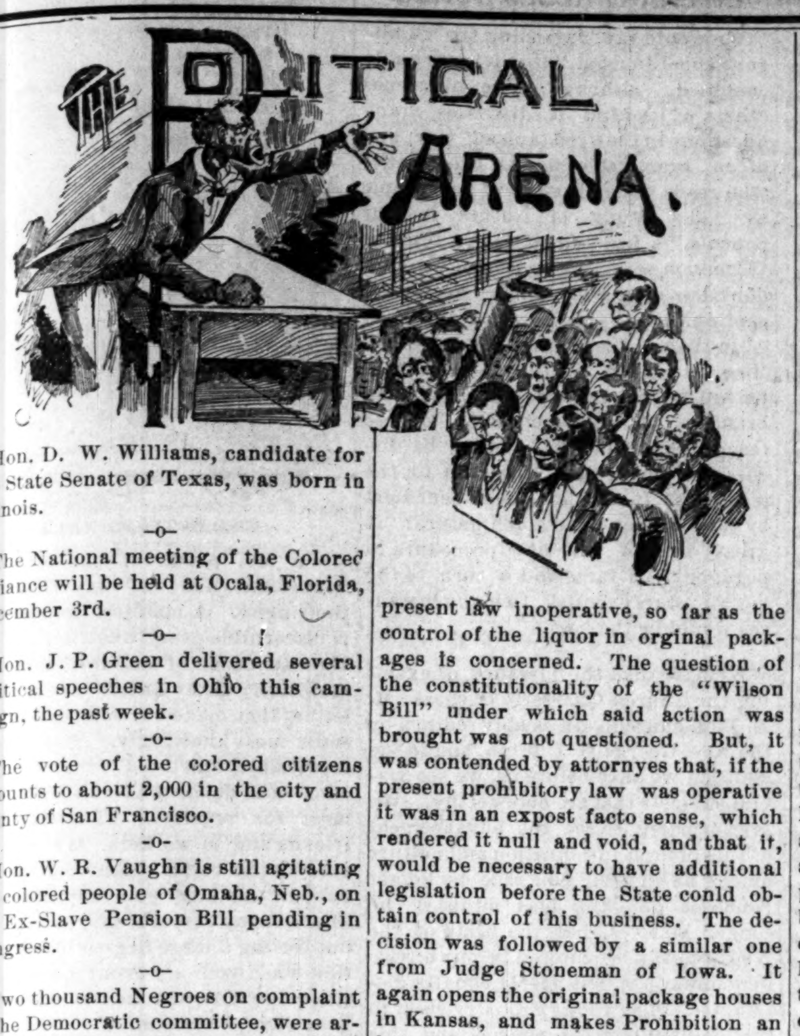

Hon. D. W. Williams, candidate for the State Senate of Texas, was born in Illinois.

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The National meeting of the Colored Alliance will be held at Ocala, Florida, December 3rd.

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Hon. J. P. Green delivered several political speeches in Ohio this campaign, the past week.

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The vote of the colored citizens amounts to about 2,000 in the city and county of San Francisco.

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Hon. W. R. Vaughn is still agitating the colored people of Omaha, Neb., on the Ex-Slave Pension Bill pending in Congress.

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Two thousand Negroes on complaint of the Democratic committee, were arrested October 21st, at Chicago for alleged false registration.

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A Negro has been appointed substitute mail-carrier at Ironton, Ohio. Much dissatisfaction exists as the Afro-Americans expected a regular carrier.

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T. McCant Stewart, a lawyer of New York City, and a colored man of repute, will speak in Boston in January before the Wendell Phillips Association

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A grand ovation was recently tendered Hon. T. E. Miller at Beaufort, South Carolina, on which occasion he addressed his constituency in a telling speech.

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Mr. Cuney, collector of the Galveston Texas port, has appointed Prof. W. E. Easton to the position of storekeeper, a position paying some $4.00 per day.

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Col. James Lewis has been appointed by the city council of New Orleans to investigate the Hennessey murder; he is associated with fifty other gentlemen in the inquiry.

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John M. Langston, of Virginia, has been tendered immense receptions wherever he has spoken in his district. The re-election of Langston is conceded by the leading Republicans.

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Rev. D. A. Graham's removal from Michigan necessitates the assuming of the presidency of the Afro-American League in that State by Albert W. Hill the vice president.

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Hon. Edwin Garrison Walker, Massachusetts' peerless colored orator, made a tremenduous impression on the assemblage in Tremont Temple at the Wendell Phillips Hall Association meeting held lately.

WEST-WARD THE SETTING STAR.

Never Missing an Opportunity our Scribe, the Knight of the pen, Turns Himself Round and at one Glance Describes the Whole Area of Afro-American Doings in Politics, Business and the Social Worlds—The Kansas of To-day.

Topeka, Kan., Special to The Freeman.

Within another week, the result of one of the fiercest political struggles ever wituessed in Kansas, will be known. Never before has such slanderous and scurillous attacks on the private character of gubernatorial candidates been known. Farmer Willets has been triple coated with slime and rot of a nauseating kind. The records of the Probate Court have been called upon by Republican manipulators to testify against the honesty and integrity of this man. If one half is true, Farmer Willits is fit only for the meanest place in Hades. That venerable of Kansas ex-Govenor Robinson the resubmission nominee, has been placed upon the rack of political torture and his character and honesty drawn until one sees him as a knave and demagogue; Govenor Humphrey according to the opposition is one of the most confirmed inebriates in Kansas. And to cap the climax, the Republican party is responsible for all ills and misfortunes that the great sunflower State passed through during the last decade. Such is the cap of the politician, and such is Kansas to-day. It is impossible to tread the streets without being subject to a critical analysis of ones political beliefs and disbeliefs.

Ex-Governor Chas. Robinson the Democratic and Resubmission nominee for governor, has been endeavoring to impress upon the minds of the people of Kansas that Prohibition was not an issue in this present campaign. Comes now Judges Foster and Phillips of the U. S. District Court, in an exhaustive opinion, delivered in the case of Chas. Rahur. who was arrested some time ago charged with violation of our Prohibitory laws, by selling liquor in Original Packages, and declares the present law inoperative, so far as the control of the liquor in orginal packages is concerned. The question of the constitutionality of the "Wilson Bill" under which said action was brought was not questioned. But, it was contended by attornyes that, if the present prohibitory law was operative it was in an expost facto sense, which rendered it null and void, and that it, would be necessary to have additional legislation before the State conld obtain control of this business. The decision was followed by a similar one from Judge Stoneman of Iowa. It again opens the original package houses in Kansas, and makes Prohibition an issue in the present campaign.

All parties claim to be greatly benefited by this decision. The Resubmissionists and Democrats hold that the Republican party is the great whiskey party. That it has forced these conditions upon the people by reason of the prohibitory legislature. The Republicans retaliate by asserting that the condition is due to a Democratic disregard for law, and their intense longing for free whiskey. The great Peoples party dismiss the question without a decided action, but apparently take great delight in taunting the Republicans with what they call "a Prohibition fiasco."

As the campaign grows the indications become more apparent, that the Afro-Americans will come home to their old party. Though there are some who will vote with the Resubmissionists. The Negro is not strictly speaking a Prohibition. He loves his dram almost as well as the German his beer. He believes that Prohibition is a direct aim at his personal liberty. A liberty to debauche his manhood, to degrade his family, to rouse within him and to foster all the animal spirit. He seems to fail to understand, that in the absence of the saloon, he has made more rapid strides to wealth and greater progress mentally and socially than is possible when weak as he is, surrounded by the saloon. The Prohibitionist does not desire to attempt the gigantic impossibility to control man's appetite and desires, but simply to control the manufacture and sale of intoxicatidg liquors.

Rev. Foster the Alliance nominee for auditor is no doubt one of the best speakers on the stump. His services are in constant demand to speak in all parts of the State. As is usually the case with Afro-American nominees, there comes a kick all along the line from the mass of white voters but this does not seem true with Rev. Foster. The Alliance votes are standing firm for Foster. He is everywhere greeted with applause and unmistakable evidence of esteem by the farmers. Rev. Foster is a credit to our race. He may differ with us in politics but we must respect him as an honest upright christian gentleman and a scholar.

The St. John A M E Chapel is rapidly nearing completion. It will be a grand tribute to the workmanship of Afro-American mechanics. Every workman employed on the elegant structure is a Negro. Memorial windows are being donated by our citizens. One has been taken by the Dispatch Club, Col. J. M. Brown and Fire station No. 3.

Col. J. M. Brown and Prof. S. G. Watkins are doing good service for the Republican party.

W. B. Carter of the Leavenworth Advocate was in the city last week in the interest of his paper. He reports a constant and steady growth both in circulation and influence.

The coming event in social circles, is the Second annual Opening of the Dispatch Club to be held at their h al on the 7th of November. The executive committee will spare no pains to make this the grandest event of the season. Among the speakers of the evening are Hon. W. T. McGuinn of the American Citizen, Hon. W. B. Townsend and Prof. B. K. Bruce of the Leavenworth Advocate, Prof. H. M. G. Spence of the Atchison schools, Col. J. M. Brown, Prof. Watkins and Rev. B. T. Parks of Topeka. Every friend of the club boys are cordially invited to spend the evening with them. The Dispatch Band are preparing special music for the occassion and will endeavor to eclipse all former entertainments.

Fearless.

There are about 8,000 Negroes in Houston, Texas, and from 1,200 to 1,400 are employed in railroad shops.

REPUBLICAN PERFIDY.

The Afro-Americans are Mistreated by the So-Called Republicans—A Beautiful Village—Prosperous People—Personals etc.

Danville, (Va.,) Special to The Freeman.

B. J. Wadkins, one of our rising young men, left Wednesday, the 22nd, for Florida, where he has a position to teach school.——Joseph A. Garland and wife, Mrs. Martha A. Garland, and their little son, J. Garland, left last week for Mount Cross, Va., where they will remain all winter, as Mr. Garland is principal of the Mount Pleasant school.——Mrs. Eliza Adams has gone to Raleigh, N. C., on a visit to relatives——The public schools of Tunstall District opened on the 20th of October with a corps of twenty-one teachers.——Prof. S. D. Mills is principal of the Jacksonville schools. He has the assistance of Miss Annie Graves, Mrs. Mollie Adams and Miss Carrie Ellis.——Jacksonville is a beautiful village, situated about two miles from Danville. It has a population of seven hundred, all colored. They all own homes, and have their own churches. I think there should be some steps taken to give them a Post Office. James Garland is The Freeman's authorized agent, He is well known in Danville and the surrounding vicinity.——Papers will be for sale at Jack Chaney's barber shop, 111 Craighead street, every Saturday. Mrs. Mattie Grasty has gone to New York City on a visit to relatives.——Willis Richmond, one of our merchants, carries a five hundred dollar stock of groceries.——D. W. Howard is doing a good grocery business.——Miss J. B. Morton and Mr. Hedgins, of this city, were united in marriage on Sunday.——The colored people worked hard to get J. H. Johnson Post Master at Danville. He has been in three months, and he has changed all of the mail carriers but one. All he has put in are white. No Afro-American has yet been appointed. Mr. Johnson is one of the so-called Republicans. The Negroes' eyes are being opened all over the south at so-called Republicanism.——W. H. Pleasant came out as an Independent candidate from the Fifth Congressional Ditrict. All the so-called white Republican sent word that they would not vote for him. So you see how it is. As long as we follow it is all right but if we have an Afro-American that is capable of holding a position, they will all get back because he is a Negro.

Miss F. Hicks, of Denver, Col., the artist will go east soon.

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There are quite a number of colored lady students at Oberlin College this year.

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Miss E. T. Wells, of Boston, has gone to Beaufort, S. C., as a teacher in the Mather School.

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Mrs. Hattie Bowen-Gray, of Galveston, Tex., has been appointed State Organizer of the W. C. T. U.

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Mrs. Rebecca Piper, a well known boarding house landlady of Cambridge Mass., died very suddenly last week.

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Laura J. Hill, of Cincinnati, who, eloped with William Melton a year go, was jailed in Hamilton, Ohio last week.

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Miss Della, a promising and studious minded young lady, of Bremond, Texas, has gone to Nashville, Tenn., to finish her education.

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Miss Laura Fairfax, an intelligent and accomplished lady of Cleveland, Ohio, has been secured as teacher for the Lynchburg, Va., public school.

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The Daughters of Ruth, of Buffalo N. Y., gave an "Apron Social" last week which displayed a great deal of fine, plain and fancy needle work.

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Miss Alice Crawford, of St. Paul, Minn., who graduated from the Tennessee Central College, has been spending several weeks in Texas.

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Miss M. L. Clay, principal of the Gray Seminary, Hot Springs, Arkansas, is meeting with success in her school. She has several lady assistants of ability.

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Miss Meta Pelham, of Detroit, Mich., has been giving a series of entertainments for the Teachers' Furnishing Club of the Bethel Sunday School.

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Miss Mary A. Thorougood, of New Orleans, passed the civil service examination for copyist on the 27th inst. She is a well known society young lady of that city, and liked by every one.

Mrs. Hattie Jefferson, of Pine Bluff, the General Missionary of the Woman's State Baptist Association, delivered a very interesting lecture to an intelligent audience at the Centennial Church of that city on last Monday.

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Some white toughs of Wilmington, Del., accustomed to insulting colored ladies, made a mistake lately and assulted two respectable white ladies, and apologized by saying, "We thought you were colored people."

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The Young Ladies' Rainbow Circle, of St. John's A. M. E. Church, of Cleveland, Ohio, gave a social at the residence of Mrs. J. F. Lightfoot, 399 Forest steet, Friday evening, October 31st, for the benefit of the church.

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Mrs. Ella Shepard Moore, of Washington, D. C., has been in Nashville, Tenn., training the new company for Fisk University. Mrs. Moore was with the original troupe of Jubilee Singers, sharing in their struggles and triumphs.

ANSWERS
TO
CORRESPONDENTS.

W. H. P., New Decatur, Ala.—Thanks. We appreciate your poetical composition. We believe we can trust you to do your duty. Write us again at your leisure.

OLD DOMINION ANSWERS.

O. D., Richmond, Va.—We noticed in The Freeman of the 25th, "Carrie" of Hamlin, Ky., asked, "What man is it that has 12 sons and daughters, each son and daughter has 30 sons and daughters. Some are dark and some are fair. They commune, yet they never see each other's faces." We are of the opinion that "Carrie" has the riddle a littlemixed, as we believe the riddle referred to is not the original. "There is a father with twice six sons. These sons have 30 daughters apiece, particolored, having one speck white and the other black, who never see each other's face nor live above 24 hours."—Answer, the year, Hezekiah.

Literature, Zanesville, O.—Lord Bacon was a man of genius, and like most men of that order was somewhat incongruous. Pope said of him that he was "the wisest, brightest, meanest of mankind." Addison expressed his opinion in these words: "He had the sound, distinct, comprehensive knowledge of Aristotle, with all the beautiful lights, graces, and embelishments of Cicero."

Mrs. E. H. C., Eureka, Nev.—We have answered this question in our columns once or twice. The firm is composed of three ladies who are first-class and the article is said to be meritorious. Miss Elliott is now in Baltimore and Mrs. Turner is in St. Louis; Mrs. Knox remains in Indianapolis.

B. J., Cincinnati, Ohio.—The election in Indiana occurs November 4th. If you have not moved and voted or declared your intention to become a citizen of Ohio you have a right to vote in Indiana. You ought to have secured a certificate of registration before you left the State; yet, if you declare your intention and have some reputable person to back you, you will have no trouble in securing your rights.

E. E. H., Lima, Ohio.—Senator Bruce is not, as you suppose, accredited to Indiana. His appointment is accredited to Mississippi.

I. P. K., Paducah, Ky.—Your letter is rather personal, and we cannot publish personal matters in our columns.

The News in Conneticut.

New London, Conn., Special to The Freeman.

Miss Lizzie Sinclair left this city for New York Friday night where she will remain for the winter.——Miss Emma Fleming arrived here from Atlanta, Ga. She expects to remain with her cousin, Emma Griffin.——Mr. D. A. Westerly made a visit to frinds in Boston, and returned Wednesday afternoon.——Richard Ringold, who recoved from a long serious illness, during the month of September, took his departure for South Corolina Tuesday.——Mr. Smith has taken charge of the lunch counter at Mr. Griffin's store on the corner of Bank and Golden streets.——Mrs. Sarah Powers visited our city on Snnday evening, and gave very interesting remarks to a large congregation.

Nutmeg.

Camden, (N. J.) Letter.

Any one wishing The Freeman will call on Samuel Fisher, 100 Kaines avenue.——Miss Lucy Gibbs is one of the charming ladies of Camden.——Girls and boys, have you received a letter from Jack Frost? Have you got your winter wraps out? You had better secure them before it is too late.——Oscar Brooks was stopped by an unknown man and robbed recently.

Mosqito.

Bud Lee, a colored porter, was killed in Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 27, by William Young, a white bar-keeper.

Walking Clubs.

Autumn is at hand. Its bracing air will make you feel like exercising briskly. Now is the time therefore to organize your walking clubs. The leaves will begin to turn to gold and scarlet and russet; the apples—the few there are of them—blush and bend before your gaze inviting. Brown nuts are nearly ripe. The young squirrels scamper among the trees and turn their merry, saucy eyes toward you in challenge. The corn waves golden; the pumpkins gleam brilliant on the ground. The fried chicken, the bursting baked sweet potato, the stewed pears, crimson tomato and rich cream and butter wait your coming at every farm house.

Organize walking parties, clubs of ladies and gentlemen. Take a morning—well, take any kind of a morning when it does not rain, let your feet be shod strongly and comfortably, and go for a walk of as many miles as you can make without fatigue, to begin. Hold your head erect, throw your chest upward and forward, breathe from your toes up and walk. Follow not a mincing, slovenly gait, as if your knees were not strong enough to support your body, but strike a long, swinging step from the hip joints. Swing your arms as though the world belonged to you, and you had it all to move in.

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Keep these walks up till next hot weather season. This is the way to be healthy, wealthy and wise.

If Cholera Comes.

The rumored appearance of cholera in London, even to the extent of a single case, naturally sets people to thinking. What if it should come to America? A well known English authority whom a correspondent of The New York Herald interviewed on the subject says the best thing is not to get scared and not to drink whisky. Dr. Kerr said to the newspaper man:

> Let me entreat you to caution your readers, in the event of a visitation of cholera, against two things—panic and alcohol. Many people have died of cholera who, humanly speaking, had no business to have it, but were attacked simply because they were afraid of taking it. As regards alcohol, it is not only a potent provocative of cholera when that disease is about, but it is a most unreliable and unsafe remedy.
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> The chief precaution is to go about one's ordinary business without fear. Avoid, as I said, all intoxicating drinks, also unripe or overripe fruit, and such articles of food as from past experience the individual knows are apt to disagree with him. There should be moderation in eating and drinking, with meals as regular as possible, and these eaten slowly. There should also be strict attention to cleanliness, with fresh air, exercise and observance of all hygienic rules. These are practical precautions.
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> Past experience has convinced me that the intemperate are most likely to be attacked by cholera and least likely to recover. After the intemperate those who have a nervous dread of thinking of disease.

The eminent doctor further advises us to send for a physician at once if we think we have cholera, meantime taking some scalded milk or lime water and milk, and an ordinary hot mixture, with ginger, red pepper, laudanum, etc., in it. If you are in pain, go to bed and cover up warm and drink hot water, so as to put you into a perspiration. Hot water bottles will help check the tendency to chill. But the most important precautions are to keep your person, clothing, premises, likewise your heart and conscience, perfectly clean, and eat lightly. Disinfectants must be freely used in homes where any sickness prevails, and, indeed, in all homes where there is any decaying vegetable or animal matter about.

Finally, don't get scared. Remember that you live in a Christian nation, among people who profess to believe there is a power that will deliver them from all troubles. It is a good plan for Christians to trust in the Lord a little once in a while.

An Ignorant Queen.

If what is said of her is true, Queen Victoria is actually one of the most ignorant persons in her realm today on subjects of vital interest to the English nation. Reason why: She is not permitted to read newspapers. The plebeian touch of common newspaper paper must not come in contact with the hand of royalty. A member of the queen's household goes through the journals daily, cuts out what is supposed to interest her majesty, pins it upon silk and places it before the royal eye. If any contain a criticism of the royal actions or anything that would be unpleasant for the queen to see it is carefully cut out.

No wonder kings and queens never learn anything! The stupidest kind of a literary diet would become after a time that which only contained praises of one. We learn far more from our enemies than from our friends. If we do get on a little in the world, if we do improve our characters by cultivation as the years roll on, it is because other people—those who don't like us mostly—have pointed out our mistakes. We are apt to remember mistakes pointed out in that way. But Queen Victoria has not even the pleasure of getting a whack back at those who abuse her. She did not know of any dissatisfaction in her favorite Second battalion of Grenadier Guards till the time of their banishment to Bermuda, though everybody else was familiar with it and the oppressive discipline which was claimed to be its cause.

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The Waterloo has come and the party of the administration has lost the battle.

The election is over, somebody got left, but the sun shines just as beautifully as before.

Peace and prosperity are the results of wise citizenship; thrift and intelligence make a happy people.

Death, the greatreaper, is no respecter of persons; the useful and the loved fare the same as the vicious and the useless.

The political battle has been fought; let us settle down to business and plan how to fight the cold days that are hovering near.

The restaurant keeper's are adding the extra one cent to butter and bread. Everything is placed on the shoulders of the McKinley Bill.

The Negro's power of oratory is not the only development that significantly proves his ability; he is entering successfully the various fields of learning.

The southern Negro educator, who peregrinates annually to the north and tells of the depravity, heathenism and savagery of his people, should be pilloried.

The elections have settled the question as to which party had the greater number of voters; the Republicans got beautifully left in Indiana and throughout the country.

Gladstone has told the English that the passage of the McKinley Tariff Bill would not affect their trade with America, nor would America suffer any inconveniences from it.

The Negro is as yet far from being a Negro; he is endeavoring to be a white man without the white man's color. Will he look through the spectacles of race pride, and talk and act as if the other race did not exist?

Good Bishop Turner favors the separation of the races, but it seems rather strange that the dear man does'nt lead out by organizing a company, and acting as our Moses to the promised land. Come Bishop, lead out.

Mr. Montgomery's speech, whether famous or infamons, has given the gentleman much notoriety. But the most remarkable thing about it, is the large number of would-be critics that have sprung to their feet and attempted to tell why the speech was uttered, what it meant, etc. We dare say they have as much conception as to the motives of the man as the moon has knowledge of themselves.

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Boom the Negro department of the World's Fair.

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TOUSSAINT L'OVERTURE.

The Rewell Publishing Co., of Cleveland, has gotten out the finest engraving of Toussaint L'Overture ever given to the public. Those who have longed for such a work have their wants satisfied and should secure a picture from this reliable firm.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

A correspondent in another column of this issue makes some pertinent suggestions as regards the proposed Negro department of the Fair in '92. 'Tis a pity that the race's monied men did not take stock and thus throw themselves in the way of proper recognition. Our men of means are too niggardly constituted and keep us back by their unbusiness foresight. The suggestion that a directorship be asked for is good and the names mentioned are those of good men in the main but scarcely the ones that could command that respect for business experiences that would entail upon such a body. B. K. Bruce probably could not act as manager, though his experiences and long connection with public affairs renders him the most competent man of the race. No other Negro in America would bring to bear such dignity as he, nor obtain that respect from the opposite race so necessary. Yet there are other men—men who would succeed in making the department creditably representative. Those who oppose such a department are the opposers of every Negro enterprise; they, like that busy bird that skims the air, are always seeking for that which offends the good, yet on which they themselves find sustenance.

EX-PRESIDENT HAYES AND THE NEGRO.

In an address before the students of John Hopkins University, Mr. Hayes has lately made some rather startling and rather unique statements relative to the Negro. He says that he feels an interest in the race, and yet finds nothing very encouraging in the results thus far obtained. This is strange when facts are brought to bear. If the Negro has shown no development and furnishes nothing that is encouraging to his friends and enthusiastic supporters, as Mr. Hayes pretends himself to be, then his emancipation was an egregious blunder, and the race an incapable one. But Mr. Hayes is wrong, in fact, and wrong in implication. Some how of late the edict of white critics has been that the Negro is a genius in oratory. Now comes Mr. Hayes reiterating this anunciamento with an ultimatum which in effect is, that oratory is the only gift of the Negro. This is rather refreshing when it has been announced by the leading minds of the world that the Negro was not limited in ability, that only a circumstantial, conditional, physical and civil relation stunted the growth of these abilities. The Ohio Negroes of whom he encouragingly speaks—those living in the region of the Scioto and Miami rivers, east and west and the Ohio south—are virtually unknown in great achievements or in a great showing of intelligence. 'Tis true they are intelligent and far superior to those of the Black Belt of which he speaks. Yet we must remark that the centre of Negro progress and intelligence cannot be located there. Like all Ohio men he would not think of the world without seeing Ohio the most prominent feature in the mental image. Even the finest grass, the finest poultry, the finest dogs, the most promising people, even if they are Negroes whose race shows no encouraging signs, must necessarily come from a State settled by slaveholders and their emancipated slaves. In State pride, Mr. Hayes might deem himself quite loyal. If, as Mr. Hayes says, there are only six and a half million of Negroes in America, then economists are in error as to the rapid multiplication of the race. Another striking statement is that Negro youths will be sent to Europe to study art, science, literature or any special study if found that such have an aptitude for special work. When it is considered that this same Mr. Hayes a few years since found it unnecessary to insist that the Nation should look after the elevation of the race of whom he does not entirely "despair" at this late date, and when it is remembered that no one man in the Nation had a better opportunity of discovering their abilities and who deliberately leaves them to grope in weakness, unprotection and ignorance, it will surprise no one if such statements in general as he makes are received in one ear and ejected from the other.

We urge our agents and correspondents to read carefuly the Editor's Talk.

The Stewart Club, of Providence, R. I., is negotiating with Mme. Nellie Brown Mitchell, prima donna soprano, W. I. Powell and W. Owens King, humorists, Sidney Woodward, tenor, Fred Clike, basso, Lawyer T. McCants Stewart and the Boston Brass Band for their Star Course.

Scintillations.

Principle is innate with the Negro. It was the white man who betrayed Christ, and one of that color bore the name of Benedict Arnold, the foulest traitor in history. White men buy and sell votes; the Negro votes solidly for his friends.—Philadelphia Sentinel.

We do not like these statements; they are not conclusive facts, but are merely opinions that are unregardedly, we opine, given by our excellent contemporary. Principle is no more innate with one race than with another. This thing of endeavoring to heavenlyize the Negro is race zeal extravagant. Suppose that Christ's betrayer was a white man (and some eminent (?) Negroes declare otherwise); that argues nothing. It cannot be said that his color cut any figure in the case or that he had, in common with all white men a bad heart; such conclusions are absurd. Because "white men buy and sell votes" it is not to be regarded as a habit peculiarly their own. Negroes do the same and would do more if they had the "withal" as the white man has. The Negro does not "vote solidly for his friends," either. Often it is they vote just the other way. Enthusiasm for race should not cover common sense and palpable facts.

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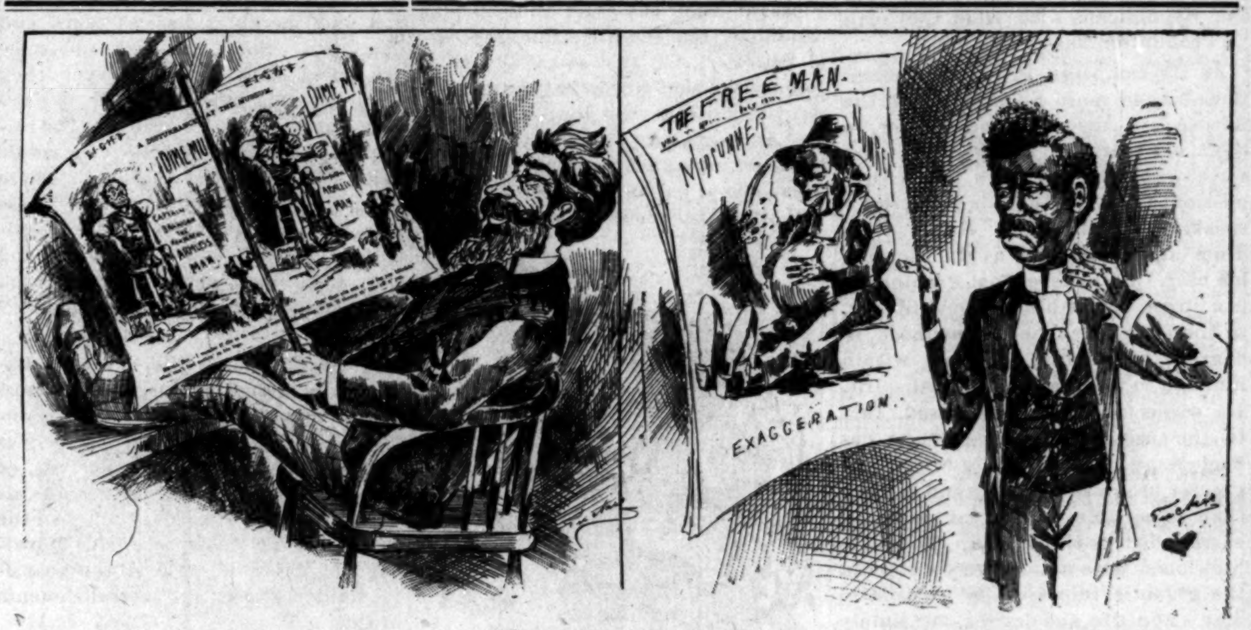
The south is not as void of intelligent and well educated Negroes as some of our brother Negroes of the north may think.—Negro American.

Well said. And yet, do you know that the "educated Negro of the south" is throwing more cold water upon your intelligence than any other person? Well, he is, let us tell you. This same fellow manages when he comes north to get the public ear on the pretense of lecturing on the educational needs of the south and the colored people. He is seeking a little pecuniary assistance of course to assist in educating "the dark mass of ignorance," "enveloping," he says, "the fair land like a pall."



INTELLECTUAL CONTRASTS.

The white man regards it a pleasure to utilize his idle moments in a hearty laugh over a humorous picture or article. | While a colored man becomes embarassed, and takes offence at even the mildest joke though it were instructive.

The tales that he tells us of the superstition, degradation, human-blankness of the people is astounding; he makes his hearers believe that cannibalism, voudoism, brutish practices, and the most horrible of practices are carried on in the south. The well rounded unvarnished tale that he tells of the low depths to which the people are sunk is a sesame to their pockets. He is a cunning fellow, this "educated Negro from the south," traveling in the interest of some university. He knows that if he should declare that the people are cultivating the soil, buying homes, sending their children to school, reading newspapers, and instead of being a heathenish class his occupation would be gone; he would have no opportunity nor means to come north. That delightful little jaunt would be discontinued, and the pleasure derived from talking to intelligent white audiences would be no more. We have in mind one or two Negroes who annually visit the north; they are glib of tongue and just make the hair stand on end when discoursing about the needs of the race in the south. Call off your watch dog and then the people of the north will give you credit for intelligence, thrift and happiness.

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If the colored people have any say in the matter, Recorder Bruce never will get another position as their representative. There are so-called race journals that push him forward as a candidate for director of the talked-of Afro-American department of the World's Fair to be held in Chicago in 1893.—Cleveland Gazette.

By the "divinity that shapes our ends" the "colored people" implies a larger number of intelligent beings than is wrapped up in one small body and mind now called the "Editor of the Cleveland Gazette." For narrow-mindedness, petty spites, and assailments of our strongest race men, commend us to our friend Hector. "There are so-called race journals" is a term rather specific; at least we take it to be such, and consequently rather think we are classed in the category. Now as to Mr. Bruce: We do not put him up as a god, faultless, infallible. He is only a man but in his manhood and integrity we see much that is admirable. His abilities are unquestioned, his defense of his race is historical, and his preeminence in public life fit him for just such a position as we are pushing him for. Doubtless the very detractors of his abilities and race interest has prospered from his beneficence and defense. Bruce has stamped his worth upon the Nation by a straightforward and consistent life and these pigmies would do well to show some prudence in acknowledging the facts. Speaking of "so-called race journals," the C. G. would do well to ask self, "What have I done to merit the name race paper?" The fear is that in this instance the littleness of the mind is in keeping with the littleness of the man, for if ever a man indexed the mind this is one of the times. Bruce will live in history for what he has been, is and will be, to his people while his would-be critics and defamers will go the way of the unknown and forgotten.

WILLIAM J. SIMMONS, D. D.

The race has lost a grand man in the demise of Dr. Simmons; humanity is deprived of an earnest devotee. There are some men whose death in times of necessity is not calamitous; there are others whose taking away causes a cessation in the building up of mankind in the nobler elements. These men are in the relative position of the master contriver of a stately edifice and whose taking away astounds and unsettles the workmen. Though others may come on the scene and push forward the work, yet the temporary cessation is not advantageous but rather harmful. Dr. Simmons was a master workmen in the edifice of human developement; his work was planned with a master mind and executed with an unerring discernment of just causes. He labored with determination and unselfishness; he died as he lived, a zealous advocate of the redemption of men from the invironments of baseness and ignorance. Though connected with a denomination whose creed is not the creed of the liberal minded and the true humanitarian he never arrogated himself to the abuse of others who did not believe as he. In him his connection had one who surveyed the broad field of human ecclesiaticism allowing no bigotry to blind him slavishly to its professed tenets. He believed that a man might yet have an abiding place and that too outside of the faith in which he had established himself. In this respect he deserved the mantle of a noble christian, in this respect he raised to noble view. The educational cause had no more sincere and no farther seeing advocate. With him ignorance was an enemy and he fought it bravely. Knowing from experience the wants of the mind he labored to furnish the mental vacuities of man with the truths of science history and revelation. He taught that life terrestial was preparatory to life celestial. The practical duties of life were themes for his pen, the posibilities of the race were inspirations for his fertile mind. Though just in the prime of life, at the very age when the faculities are at their best he passed silently out into the great unknown world, leaving the imprint of his goodness, his character and his worth upon the minds and hearts of the struggling people he so nobly represented.

REALTY INVESTMENTS.

There is not that speculative interest among the race that there ought to be. While it is quite true that many have, and are securing homes, there is no general attempts made to buy and retain for speculation land. Realty bought in some growing city or town yields handsome dividends, larger perhaps and less risky than are the returns from any other investments. The buying of land is a purely legitimate business, and is, in fact, less calculated to inculcate habits of dishonorable speculation than is the dealing in margins or options. These latter are, in reality and morale, species of gambling. If opportunities occur, and they are daily occuring, whereby money placed in realty either in small or large sums can safely be invested, it ought by all means be done. Invest in realty and reap handsome returns.

LITERARY RESEARCHES.

We would say, regarding the "Indiana School Journal," that it is very ably compiled, although, like numerous others of its kind it discusses many questions in the "red tapism" way, and of no practicable use to the teacher who reads them. Instead of such topic as "The Study of Nature in our Schools," a heading of such a topic as "Common sense in our School" would, doubtless meet with a more hearty reception than the topics usually discussed in them. We believe that too much time is spent in the discussion of nature and art in our journals, when branches of more activity, both to teachers and students, should be discussed; would not the gain to the teacher be incalculable and beneficial by the omission of so much nature? A great deal of the new procedure in pegagogy is a farce and a turn to the motto, "stare decesis" in many instances would be the best.

We have had the pleasure of examing the Church Quarterly of the A. M. E. Zion church. It is ably edited by the Rev. George W. Clinton, and in the addition we have before us, we see several subjects that are noteworthy. We are surprised to see the advancement of this church in education and culture among its clergy. Our race no longer concedes and the bias ministry no longer believes that the brain of the Negro clergy is centered in one or two denominations, but nearly equally distributed. The young ministry seem to predominate in this church, and this being so is undoubtedly the cause of its rapid progress. The preacher of today must fit himself. It is through the young man chiefly that the ameliorations of Negro theology must be achieved, and may it be said to his praise that the young clergy of our race is preparing for that work under influences never before brought to bear under his profession. He is becoming equally prominent with the white minister in in the great possession of advancement and education. He is holding his place. His success in leading the race is sure, there being no stumbling block in his way, but we feel not a moment's doubt that ere many years are passed the colored ministry will attain a completeness which it has scarcely approximated yet, and that they will discharge their great functions more beneficially to the race and mankind than they have ever done.

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When we look abroad upon society, as it is both in this and in other countries, we readily discover the existtence of numerous social evils, which may be easily traced to the want of education, or rather to the wants of the proper kind of education. For the education which we now have in our public schools, although, in some respects, undoubtedly improving seems yet wanting in one very important direction; it does not as yet sufficiently recognize and provide for the moral part of our being. We have plenty of smart men, plenty of witty and bright men, but the moral man, the man of solid character, the man of unsullied integrity and honor is now a clay, rather scarce amongst us. Now this neglected part of us is really that which chiefly constitutes and gives tone to individual as well as national character. Our statesmen, philosophers and leading educators everywhere, all recognize this fact sufficiently when they so often repeat that the permanency of republican institutions, in their full integrity depends upon her virtue and intelligence of her people. But these two elements are always considered essential, both intelligence and virtue, nor will the one do without the other in the formation of a true chracter. A person educated morally, but neglected intellectually would be as unfit to discharge his duties as a citizen as another who had recieved an exclusively intellectual learning. Virtue and intelligence thus constitutes the two grand and beautiful pillars upon which, as upon an adamantine rock rest the solid foundations of our social temple; but take one away and the other alone, when the strain comes will be found insufficient to bear up the majestic edifice.

THIS IS MY BUSY DAY

THE EDITOR'S TALK.

We feel proud of our correspondents and like the way they shape their news. A manifest improvement is discernible every week in the general presentation of matters of their communities. Many letters are models—letters that make our composing force smile most knowingly. Even that irrepressible spirit of every printing office—the devil—finds in such letters meat for revelry. That is right, friends and co-workers, try to make every letter better than the previous one; in this way you improve yourself in many respects and can not help but feeling a large degree of satisfaction when you see your own composition in print just as it came from your own pen and mind.

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We take pleasure in informing our correspondents that there is an improvement all along the line in their manuscript. A number are models of neatness and need but little revision. There are a few that could be improved upon however. Do the best you can in plain writing, spelling and itemizing; all this helps to make our burdens less onerous. We believe it would be best to use ink, yet lead-pencil, when used properly will answer. We pride ourselves on having such an intelligent and active force of correspondents and will do all we can to make their duties pleasant and appreciated. Let improvement be the motto; we know self pride will stimulate all to work for a higher plane. Remember to send your correspondence in early in the week to insure insertion in the current issue.

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Some people are too impecunious for anything; they want the world for a nickel and won't mind squabbling because the nickel is not thrown in for good measure. The Freeman is the cheapest paper in the world for its size and merit, and yet some people think that it ought to sell for the same money that one pays for a small, all patented sheet that costs not more per week than one of our average "cuts." Did any man or woman ever buy an illustrated paper, published weekly, for less than $2.40, $2.50 or $3.00 a year? If so, come to the front and stand at the head. We are now giving our readers a $5.20 paper for $2.40. Examine this issue; the smallest "cut" cost more than the subscription price for a year. The news is all original, classified and the latest. It is not plate matter as other papers, but matter set up in our own office. To our energetic agents we would say, study the relative values of the different papers carefully and when you come across the impecunious people, show them figures and facts; explain the difference between a patent-inside, or as is often the case, a patent all-side paper and our paper. Place the papers side by side, explain the illustrations and their cost, the quality of paper we use, the newness of type, the adornments or "heads" for classified news, our correspondence. Ask them to name an illustrated paper that sells as low as ours. We want you to convince them that a demand for a lower price is unreasonable and shows a lack of honesty in the giving of value for value. There are a number of papers that contain from one-fourth to one column of original news—mere items at that—and sell for $1.50 and $2.00, and have no illustrations at all; The Freeman has almost fifty for its foreign edition and actually seventy-two columns in its foreign and Indianapolis editions of original reading matter. Just think, an intelligent person wanting the papers for the same price; the idea is ridiculous. Agents! study and explain.

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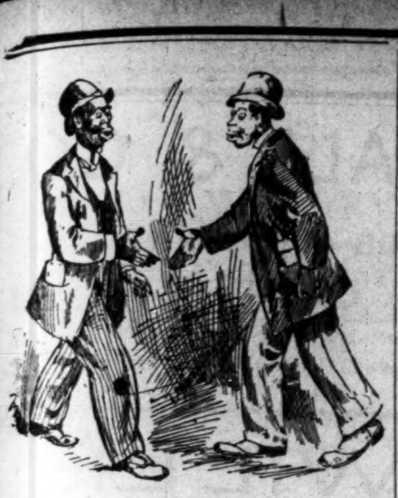
Do you know, readers, that we are proud of the support we are getting from you and the thousands of friends of the race? Well, we are gloriously proud of the efforts you are putting forth to assist us in maintaining the excellency of the paper. Nothing would afford us more satisfaction than in shaking each by the hand; this being impossible, we can only thank you through this column. We are struggling hard to treat every body justly and in a business way for only on this base can our mutually pleasant relations be sustained. Our aim shall be to give value for value, holding steadily to the golden rule, which says "do unto others as you would that others should do unto you." Let us deal honestly with each other in the most minute transaction; let us strive for the elevation of the race hand in hand, and in time enjoy the fruits, sweet as they must be, of our united efforts. Hold up our hands in the future as in the past, and our triumphs will be glorious.



(1.) They meet

THEY GO DOWN THE ALLEY.

The way the Afro-Americans are Treated in Theatres—A Disgrace.

Danville, Va., Special to THE FREEMAN.

Barnum's show is here to-day (the 5th).——I have been intending to say something about our people not attending the opera house at this place unless they fix a better way to attend it without going down the alley. How do we expect to be a people if we yield to everything that is put upon us to disgrace us as a race? If the colored people would stay away from there as they should, the dramatic companies that pass through here would ask for the Afro-American. And then he could tell why he does not attend. Now our people could down that alley-like plague. That is why we are not respected by other races. We do not demand respect as we should. I see that our teachers are the ones that attend this place the most, and they should teach the young ones race pride. If a child sees his teacher go in a bar room and get a drink, he thinks he should do the same; if any one says any thing to him, he will say to you, he saw his teacher do so and so. I had the pleasure of attending the Fall of Rome while in New York, one of the grandest places in the United States, and there are about 30,000 Afro-Americans in the city, and they all attend the theatres and they enter the same way. When we attend the opera here we are thrown among the worst class of people, both white and colored. I won't say any more upon this. A hint to the wise is sufficient.——We have one colored mail carrier, Pleas Darnell. He went on duty the 1st. J. A. G.

ON THE RAGING WABASH.

Great Political Speakers — Prominent Ministers—Entertainment—Reception.

Terre Haute, Ind., Special to THE FREEMAN.

The Democrats closed their campaign at the court house Friday night by Senator Voorhees, who made a speech to an overflowing house. Col. R. W. Thompson closed the campaign for the Republicans at the opera house Saturday night, when, for two hours he discussed the political issues to a vast audience, who listened attentively to every word he said; and we predict ere these lines shall go to press, that the clarion notes of Republican victory will have rung through the State of Indiana, proclaiming that Republican ideas.——Rey. T. E. Wilson preached two most eloquent sermons last Sabbath. Your correpondent has refraind from praise of much merited work here, because now-a-days every little "mush-room" speakers that can get up and "spout-of" a little is called a great pulpit orator and able statesman, in fact such persons are landed to the skies. Every little fellow that has attended a county convention as a delegate, straightway, is a great political leader. In rendering this tribute to T. E. Wilson, the writer feels that he is rendering it to a man who richly merits it. Every sermon which he has hither preached, teemed with religious axioms. We feel perfectly safe in saying that T. E. Wilson and Alexander Smith are two of the ablest men (and permanent at that) in the A. M. E. Conference.——The Free Masons gave an entertainment at Prince Hall Lodge Thursday night, which the Stuart orchestra rendered excellent music.——A private supper was given at the residence of Simon Daniels.——Rev. T. S. Johnson went to Indianapolis on business Monday night.——Quite a number of Terre Hauteans went over to the Odd Fellows entertainment in Paris last week.——John Anderson and wife, of Brazil, were in the city Sunday night.——A social hop was given at the residence of Henry Smith on South 14th street Saturday night.——James Bishop is improving his house by a new addition. QUIXOTE.

Our Kentucky Girl's Fannings,

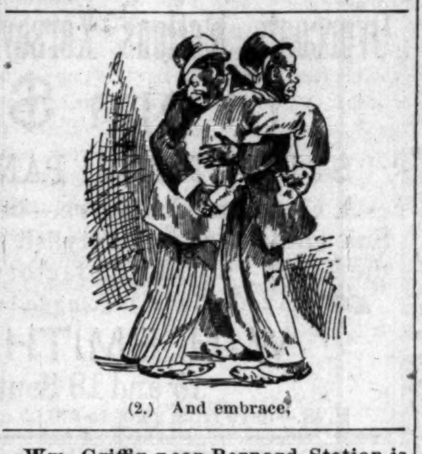
Maysville, Ky., Special to THE FREEMAN,

Since my last writing I have looked up some of our rich Mason County farmers, Among whom may be mentioned Washington Simpson near Washington, Ky., who owns nearly 300 acres of land; he has also some fine stock. He has two sons attending school at Washington, D. C.

W. H. Smith left for Cincinnati last Saturday.

Felix E. Fowler went to Lexington Monday,

Miss Minnie Kirk left Thursday for Chicago.



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Wm. Griffin near Bernard Station is in fair circumstances.

Don't forget to buy THE FREEMAN, for sale at Campbell's barber shop.

Wm. Griffin and John Johnston of Bernard Station were in the city Sunday.

A large crowd went to Flemingsburg last Sunday to attend the M. E. District conference.

Mr. Mosby stopped off the Bonanza Friday to pay his respects to a Fleming pike lady.

Mrs. Nancy Story of Popular Plains was here on a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bell.

James Buttin near Lewisburg, owns from 90 to a 100 acres of fine land; he is also worth a goodly sum of money.

On the Travis murder case the jury hung three times, with two for acquital against ten for 21 years in prison.

Miss Merilla Taylor of Minerva, passed through this city enroute to Bernard Station to visit Mise Lizzie Hatfied.

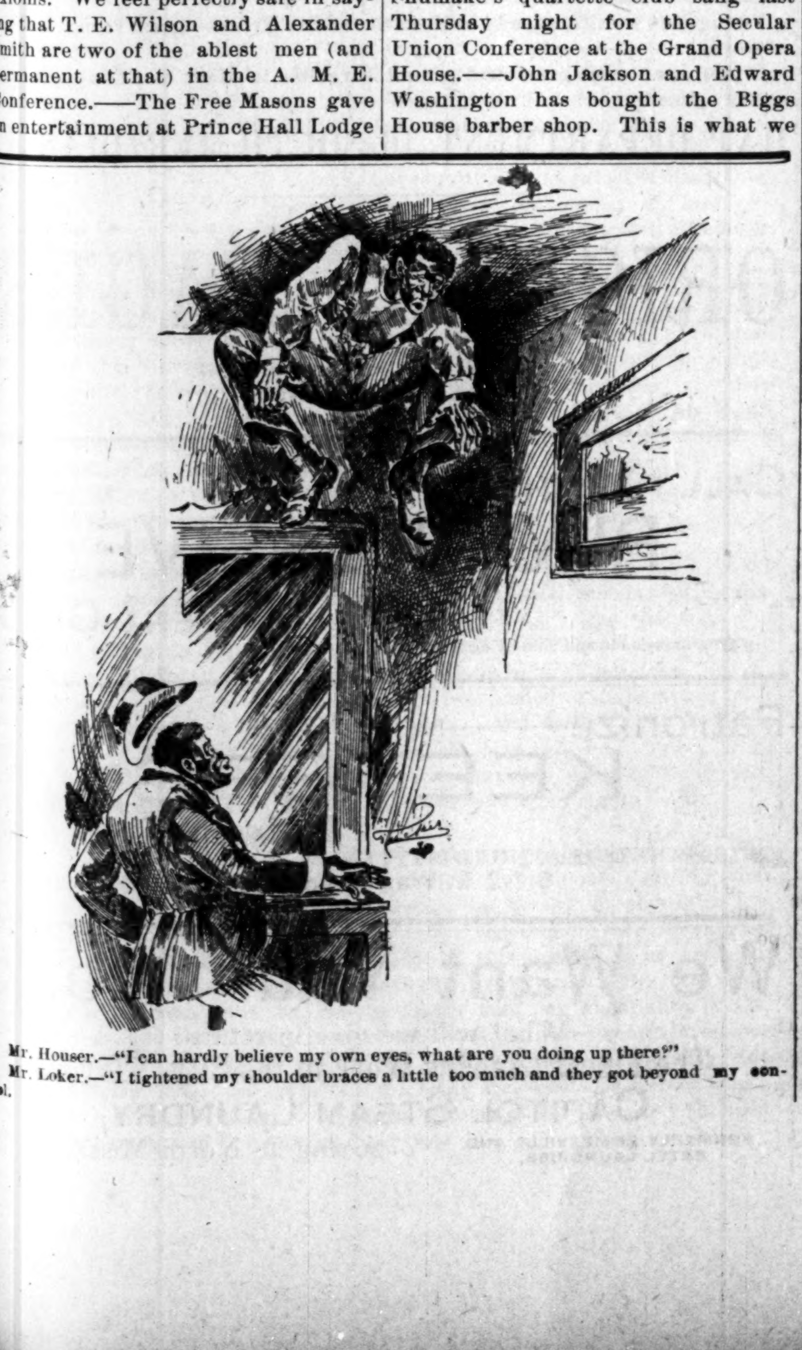
KENTUCKY GIRL.

EASTERN OHIO.

Happenings of Divers Kind.

Portsmonth, Ohio, Special to THE FREEMAN.

Las Sunday Rev. Coleman gave the School a little inkling of what he wanted it to do as a school; he wanted every child to save something for the improvement that he expected to make.——Remember that the Band of Hope meets every Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.——John Polley, who was released on bail last week was again arrested.——Charles Graggs is a colored citizen of our town and is forty years old and put in his appearance at the Sabbath School for the first time in his life.——The bricks have arrived for the paving of our streets.——William Shumake's quartette club sang last Thursday night for the Secular Union Conference at the Grand Opera House.——John Jackson and Edward Washington has bought the Biggs House barber shop. This is what we like to hear, colored men making better places for themselves in this life.——There was a splendid experience meeting last Sunday morning in Elder Coleman's church.——D. L. Scott is agent for THE FREEMAN. PUCK.



Mr. Houser.—"I can hardly believe my own eyes, what are you doing up there?"

Mr. Loker.—"I tightened my shoulder braces a little too much and they got beyond my control."

The Virginians, What They are About.

Charlottsville, Va., special to THE FREEMAN.

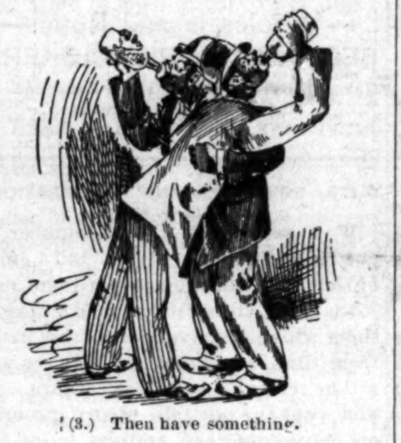
This has been a lively week here.——Rev's. Troy and Colly, of Richmond, Va., the latter a missionary to Africa, lectured to an appreciative audience of both white and colored. The lecture was very interesting, instructive and entertaining. We learned a great deal about our fatherland.——Rev. Huston, of Ohio, has been exhibiting his panorama here for three nights to very large houses. Two evenings at the First Baptist church, and one at the A. M. E. church. The entertainments were enjoyed by all; many new scenes very striking and natural, especially the sacred scenes were instructive and touching.——The marriage ceremony of Burkley Bullock, Jr. and Miss Nala Powell were solemnized at the First church last Friday evening, October 30th. Rev. Scott, the pastor, performed the ceremony; quite a large crowd of the friends of both were out. The following members of the three V. V. V.'s acted as groomsmen: Charles Kennie, Penny Flemings, John Murray and Phillip Wyatt.——THE FREEMAN can be had of Wm. H. Paragon, 322 West 12th street, Preston Green's barber shop and Brown and Wayland's grocery store, Main street; five cents a copy, please give it a trial you will like it. AGENT.

KENTUCKY AFFAIRS.

Marriage—Ministers—Death of Prof. Simmons.

Louisville, Ky., Special to THE FREEMAN.

J. J. Turner, of New York City, and Miss Addie Mitchell, of Danville, Ky., were united in marriage; Rev. J. H. Riley, of Indianapolis, Ind., officiated, October 28th at the A. M. E. church on Walnut street. Four hundred or more presents were donated. The bride is the daughter of Monroe Mitchell.——Rev. C. Slaughter, who has been on the sick list, is out again.——Rev. G. W. Hamblin, of Philadelphia, Pa., preached at the Green street Baptist church.——October 30th Prof. W. J. Simmons, D. D. died in his home at Louisville, Ky. He wil not only be missed at the State University of Louiville, but in other states as well. He was a bright scholar and educator, a preacher and a christian gentleman. He has made his mark and gone to his eternal home.——Mrs. Julia Griffin, who has been sick, is out again. L. G.



(3.) Then have something.

ACROSS THE RIVER.

Personal—Ministers — Business — Doctors and the Usual Items.

Henderson, Ky., Special to THE FREEMAN.

Rev. Mitchell left the city last week for Frankfort; his wife and son will return with him this week.——Miss Susie Powell went to Louisville Sunday to attend the funeral of Rev. W. J. Simmons.——Mrs. Dave Randolph, of the country, died and was buried Saturday. She leaves a husband and ten little children, who have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their sad bereavement.——Rev. P. H. Kennedy, in answer to a telegram from Rev. C. H. Parish, left for Louisville, to attend the funeral of W. J. Simmons D. D.——Mrs. Dave Anderson went to Madisonville last Friday to spend two weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Matilda McCage.——James Thompson, formerly baggage master at the O. and V. depot, but latter brakeman on the O. and V. railroad, has served his connection with that road, and will take a position on the the O. and M. railroad.——Dr. S. A. O'Neal left the city last week for Georgia his former home, to visit his parents. He went by way of Nashville, Tenn., where he left his little daughter with her grand mother.——On last Friday the spirit of Mrs. Anderson Liggon departed this life, she leaves a husband and one child and many friends to mourn her loss.——Mrs. P. Green, of Evansville, Ind., spent last Sunday in the city visiting friends.——James Roberts, of Evansville, Ind., is on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Sarah Reed.——William Barnett, the young man who got his leg broken by a hay press, is improving.——Mrs. H. Hoye returned from Louisville last week.——Rev. James Johnson filled the pulpit of the Firts Baptist church last Sunday in the absence of Rev. Mitchell. His remarks was received by the congregation with approbation.——Henry Brown goes to Louisville this week to live.——Read the best Afro-American paper published; THE FREEMAN, and keep posted.——James Washington is quite ill with malarial fever. AH! CEE.

THE CENTENNIAL STATE.

What is Occuring Away out West.

Pueblo, Col., Special to THE FREEMAN.

The literary meeting at the A. M. E. church was largely attended last Tuesday evening. Quite a number of strangers were present who participated in the ceremonies. Among the strangers present we noticed Hons. Hackley and Contee, of Denver, Rev. Curtiss, Hon. Talbot, C. B. Roberson, Ashby and several ladies, among whom was Miss Eva Holmes, who is still the guest of Mrs. W. A. Gatewood.——Miss Mary Boggs has left for Nashville, Tenn., for the purpose of completing her education.——J. L. Scott has purchased the elegant tonsorial parlors formerly owned by Mrs. J. E. Morton, thus becoming the proprietor of two of the finest shops west of St. Louis. Mr. Morton will immediately remove to his new quarters in the new Union depot.——Wm. Holmes has accepted the agency of the Denver Statesman.——C. A. Carter is nominated for board of overseers on the Republican ticket. He is among the most prominent citizens of Pueblo, and we predict for him the hearty support of his fellow citizens and a large majority.——Fred Logan returned from Denver very sick with pneumonia.——We notice that C. H. Haywood, who has been very sick with inflamatory rheumatism is convalescent.——Hon. C. Hill, our worthy shoe merchant, has purchased E. B. Wick's extensive stock of boots and shoes; he will be glad to accomodate his customers at the lowest possible figures. Mr. Hill is an interesting and prominent gentleman. F. M.

A Wonderful Newspaper.

Talladega, Ala., Special to THE FREEMAN.

Alva Curtis Garrott, a graduate of Talladega college, who has been a teacher in Henderson, Texas, has recently left that place, as he has an appointment in Washington, D. C. He passed through the city this week and gave the students good advice.——More work is being done in this city than has been for twenty-five years. All classes of buildings are beihg erected. Bricklayers are getting $4 per day. The colored men should have a trade, and also an education, as one thing will not do for a colored man to depend upon. The colored people needs more of a-getting-money capacity.——I must say that I have read many newspapers and know what a good paper is. THE FREEMAN is the most interesting paper that I have ever read. I can but read it and think how glad I would be if the colored people the world over would strive to support it. It is one of the finest newspapers that has ever been sent out by a colored man. I have never met the editor, but the paper is wonderful. S. D. W.

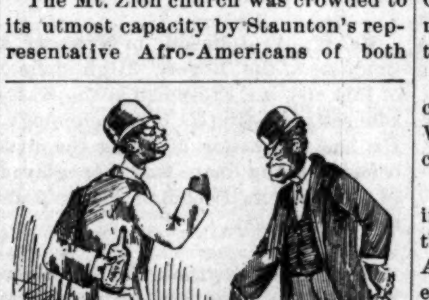
INDIGNATION MEETING.

The Citizens of Staunton, Va., Determined that Justice Shall be Meted out to the Policeman Who Brutally Shot and Killed a Colorod Boy.

Staunton, Va., Special to THE FREEMAN.

On Wednesday evening, the 29th, the colored citizens of this city met en masse at the Mt. Zion Baptist church to express themselves and take some action concerning the brutal tragedy that occurred on Oct. 22d in which an officer shot to death Henry Cassey, a colored youth who was fleeing arrest. A few weeks ago Cassey crushed in the skull of a white man who was attacking him. Cassey escaped from town, the injured man recovered and left. A few days since he returned and was murdered, and the man who shot him was not even asked why he did the shooting.

The Mt. Zion church was crowded to its utmost capacity by Staunton's representative Afro-Americans of both sexes. After prayer and song, Rev. A. W. Puller, in fitting terms, stated the object of the meeting. W. M. Carter had been elected President and C. H. Hall Secretary of the meeting. J. H. Hays, a rising young lawyer, called from Richmond to be present on the occasion, was called upon and he responded in an eloquent stirring address that made a deep and lasting impression upon the minds of his hearers. In his remarks he noted the difference between the treatment of white and black felons by those whose duty it is to interpet and enforce the laws of the land. He also showed that colored witnesses are generally ready to furnish more damaging evidence against a colored prisoner than really exists. After thus showing the difficulties that oppose a colored man whenever he comes in contact with the law either as plaintiff or defendant, he spoke directly upon the case in question and gave some excellent advice to the people. Advice which quelled the turbulent and incited those, who are determined to thoroughly sift the matter, the greater efforts to mete out justice to the man who needlessly and brutally murdered Henry Cassey After Mr. Hays' address the resolutions were read and adopted.



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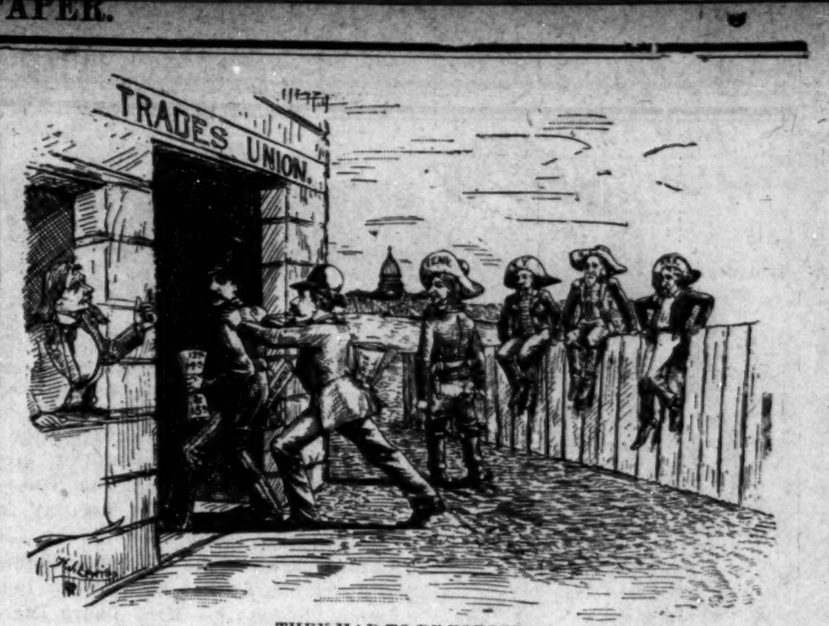


THEY HAD TO BE FORCED.

Tenn.—"Hello! what does all this mean?"

N. C.—"Well Tenn., I guess they're meaning to force us the same way."

Ky.—"Dog-bite my blue grass skin, I'll not be forced."

Ark.—"By my old cotton sack shirt, I'll get back on the fence first."

Uncle Sam.—"Hold on there my southern braves; come right on; this bill shall not hurt you."

A collection was taken up and Mr. Hays was presented with $22.50 after which the meeting adjourned. All the colored people feel shocked and aggrieved by this brutal outrage and they intend to exert all their powers through the proper channels to convince the people of Virginia that justice and justice alone must reign supreme.

HOW TO SOLVE IT.

A Minister's Suggestions—An Original Jubilee Singer—Coming Home to Vote—Society Gossip—El Rio Rey's Scintilations.

Cincinnati, O., Special to THE FREEMAN

Rev. J. F. Morland, of Union Chapel gives the following remedy for condition of the race as regards crime. "Christianity, which is set forth in Math. xxv, 35 and 36, the need of spokesmen for the race of would-be leaders seeking to be useful, more lifting up and has running down and a general desire of our people to help each other and less shifting of burdens on the shoulders of the ignorant and helpless."

Mrs. Mary Wilson, of 11 Rittenhouse street, is very ill.

THE FREEMAN is on sale at Fieldings, barber shop, George and Plum.

Attend the sacred concert at Allen's Temple Sunday evening, Oct 9th.

Mrs. Lee, of Washington, D. C., sister of Powhattan Beatty, is in the city.

Mr. Anderson, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Samuel Clark, of W. Sixth street.

Public installation of officers of I. O. O. C. at their hall, 195 W. Fifth street, Thursday night.

Mr. Jerry Ester, after a prolonged visit to relatives at Springfield, returned home Saturday.

The "Humane" lunch by the ladies of Mound street Baptist Church Wednesday was a success.

William Fielding left Wednesday for Chicago, where he will spend a couple of weeks visiting friends.

Henry Cook, for many years connected with the C. S. R. R., has resigned his position and will go into business in this city.

Mrs. Sallie Jenkins, of Hilsborro, Ohio, sister of Mrs. H. Dixon, of Richmond street, after a very pleasant visit to the city has returned home.

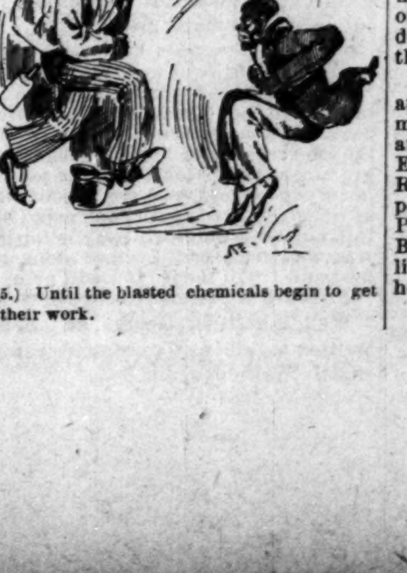
Harry Furness, of Indianapolis, a clerk in the Pension Department at Washington, D. C., passed through the city Sunday en route for home to vote.

An enthusiastic meeting of the ladies interested in the raising of a purse for the Humane Bazaar, was held at the American Catholic Tribune Monday evening. Thirty-one ladies were present.

Judge Gatewood and Miss Hattie Jones, of Anry street, were married Monday evening. Quite a number of friends were present. Many useful and costly presents were received by the happy couple.

Lu Beatty, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Powhattan Beatty, has made an enviable record in his deportment at Washington, and is at home for the purpose of casting his first vote, which will be strictly Republican.

A. L. Slayton and Emma Able were married Tuesday night at the home of the bride by Rev. Moreland. The groom has fitted up an elegant home at 141 Longworth street, where they will be pleased to see their many friends.



(5.) Until the blasted chemicals begin to get in their work.

Mrs. Jennie Jackson DeHart, well-known as the leading soprano singer of the Fisk Jubilee Singers, of Nashville, Tenn., after many solicitations on the part of friends, has decided to teach a class in vocal culture at her home on Chapel strest, Walnut Hills. Those desiring to enter should do so at once and thus secure the full course of lessons.

Excelsior Division No. 7 K. of P. will give their first annual promenade concert and prize contest at College Hall Wednesday, November 26th. A Handsome chamber set will be presented to the lady securing the greatest number of votes. The well-known reputation of the K. of P. entertainment is a guarentee that this will be strictly first class in every respect.

The all absorbing topic at this writing is the election; indication point to the success of the Republican ticket, with the possible exceptions of Otto Cosgrave for Congress of 1st District; Evan Schoneberger for sheriff and Frank Altain, Commissioner. As usual, the "colored brother" is the loudest hollerer, the first in parades and of course will be the last to receive recognition.

EL RIO REY.

DOWN EAST,

Gatherings of Various Kinds—Marriage in Grand Style—Church Officers—Personals, Etc.

The New Haven Special to THE FREEMAN,

Rev. Wm. T. Holland, pastor of the Hamden Mission of the Zion A. M. E. Church, and Mrs. Georgiana H. Sears of Hudson street, were joined in the bonds of Wedlock, Wednesday evening at the Zion A. M. E. Church by Rev. E. G. Biddle. Miss Alice De Lyon was the bridesmaid and Geo. H. Hooper was best man. The ushers were Messrs Henry Williams, Walter Hatfield, John Grant and Elijah Hooper. The church was crowded with the elite of colored society and the event was without doubt the biggest in the social annals of the colored residents of New Haven in some time. A reception was held from 8:30 to 10 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. A. B. Cornell at 39 Sperry street. Mr. George Hooper was made master of ceremonies. The presents received were many and costly. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Holland left for Fredericksburg, Md., on a two weeks visit to the home of the bridegroom's parents.

Mr. Mero has left for a two weeks visit to Philadelphia.

A party was given Thursday evening Oct. 30th, at Mrs. Handy's on Hudson street in honor of Miss Handy.

A mass meeting of the colored citizens of this city was held Tuesday evening, Oct. 31st, in Masonic Hall, Rev. John A. Hall presided over the meeting.

Mr. Howe, who has been confined to his bed for the past few weeks with congestion of the brain is able to be about and to visit his friends.

Mr. George Smith and Miss Nellie Godette have joined the A. O. S. Club formerly the Jolly Japanese Club last week. The club now numbers sixteen members and they gave their annual party Friday evening at the home of Mrs. McLynn, Edgewood avenue.

Mrs. F. C. Bonfayette and her daughter Miss Bessie C. Bonfayette left New Haven last Tuesday night, Oct. 28th, for New York where they will spend a few days and then return to their home in Savan ah, Georgia.

The Licoln Boy's Club, stationed at the corner of Goff and Sperry streets was opened last week for the winter season. This club was established March 22, 1888, by the Connecticut Committee Work for boys. The aim of these clubs is to keep the young boys from loafing around the streets winter evenings by having a club under competent instructer where the boys can pass their evenings among the books, games and in the gymnasium.

The concert in the Bethel A. M. E. Church Sperry street, Rev. Hammond, pastor, by the Tennessee singers Wednesday and Thursday evenings was an excellent presentation of the melodies of the old plantation life, as of the modern music which they rendered. They compare favorably with the Fisk's of Tennessee.

Sunday, Oct. 26th, was big quarterly at Bethel A. M. E. Church. In the morning there was love feast, in the afternoon preaching by Presiding Elder T. R. Gedda and in the evening Rev. Hammond discoursed upon Temperance. Rev. Emery of Naragansett Pier was also pres nt. Miss Agnes Butcher and Miss Sarah Cole of Carlisle, Penn., are in this city at the home of Rev. Hammond, Goffe street.

REG.

STAGE.

Madame Selika will visit Chicago soon.

The Gate City Brass Band of Denison, Texas, has disbanded.

W. Owens King, humorist has spent a few days in Buffalo, N. Y.

The Fisk Jubilee Singers were greeted with crowded houses at Cleveland, Ohio.

Robt. A. Kelley, an Afro-American comedian, is with the Passion's Slave Company now in the east.

The Queen City Quartette, of Denver, Col., composed of Messrs. Moore, Anderson, Howard and Williams, have organized for campaign work.

Loudin's Fisk Jubilee Singers gave a fine concert to a crowded house in the Disciple church, Youngstown, Ohio, the 17th after an eight years' absence.

On Monday evening, October 27th, Tim Tyler, the rising Shakespearean and dramatic reader of Indianapolis, gave his first grand entertainment at Central Hall, Chicago.

Out of nearly 500 pupils in the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, Messrs. W. A. Kelly, of Pittsburg, the violinist and Wm. T. Basey, of Chicago, the pianist are the only colored gentlemen.

In New Orleans there is a band of colored boys, ranging in age from seven to twelve, who give open-air concerts for missionary purposes. They are called "The Sherwood Missionary Band."

The Stewart Club, of Providence, R. I., is negotiating with Mme. Nellie Brown Mitchell, prima donna soprano, W. I. Powell and W. Owens King, humorists, Sidney Woodward, tenor, Fred Clike, basso, Lawyer T. McCants Stewart and the Boston Brass Band for their Star Course.

Miss Flora Batson-Bergen sang in St. Paul and Minneapolis October 28th and 30th, and November 3rd, 10th and 11th; Milwaukee, the 13th, and Chicago the 25th. Her unparalleled success on the Pacific Coast has kept her before the footlights almost constantly for the past eighteen months. She will soon be heard in the Middle States.

Program of the Atlanta Literay Society November 7th: Opening quartette, Mrs. R. J. Henry, Miss N. M. Cooke, Messrs. W. B. Matthews and G. Martin; Critic, Miss M. U. Jackson; select reading, Miss A. B. Turner; essay, "Importance of Mental Culture," Miss T. Martin; duet, (vocal) Miss M. B. Johnson and Dr. Slater; recitation, Miss Lilla Badger; paper, "Force Bill" Dr. Strong; solo, instrumental, Miss Turner; debate, resolved, "That Persons unequally educated should not marry;" affirmative, P. A. Allen; negative, Miss Julia Caldwell; quotations from Longfellow, society.

The two little colored boys, or the "mascots," as they are called, who assist Francis Wilson in showing the audience how "Love Will Find the Way," in "The Merry Monarch," are natives of Washington, D. C. They were first engaged by Mr. Wilson last season to appear in "The Oolah." Between the acts these little imps would amuse the members of the company by their dancing and sparring. After the performance was over they would go around the streets and dance. In that way they collected many pennies. This season Mr. Wilson conceived the idea of having the boys do their dance with him. Accordingly he sent to their parents in Washington and offered to pay the boys a salary and to see that they were properly taken care of. "Jeff" appeared on the scene, his complete baggage consisting of a dilapidated old umbrella, while John, the other boy, had a nightshirt for his wardrobe. Mr. Wilson sent them immediately to a clothier and had them measured for new outfits, to the supreme joy of the colored lads. They have made a "hit" with their dancing and will travel with the company all the season, but it is expressly stipulated that the first time they are detected giving outside exhibitions of their jigging they will be sent home. The youngsters are in constant dread of being returned to Washington.—Exchange.

THE FALLS CITY.

Items of Interest About the Afro-Americans—Deaths—Personals—Socials, etc.

Louisville, Ky., Special to THE FREEMAN.

Mrs. J. H. Taylor is back after a pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. Bowman Adams at Frankfort, Ky.——Mr. Nathan Lavell left Tuesday for Millbourgh.——The Rev. John H. Frank pastor of the 5th, ave., Baptist Church officiated at a funeral in Lebanon, Sunday.——Mrs. Laura Mack Smith, who has been teaching school at Bevier, Ky., has returned to the city on the account of illness. She is confined to her room with typhoid fever.——Chas H. Weathers, a pupil of the high school who fell from a horse and broke his leg, is rapidly recovering.——Mr. Chas S. Morris was in the city last week.——Mrs. Belle Taylor (nee Morris) is in the city visiting her mother.——Prof. J. H. Lawson will open a law school at the State University Monday Nov. 3.——Dr. Wm. J. Simmons is in a critical condition. His physician and friends are much distressed.——Messrs. Thomas Norris Jr., George Kemp and the Evangelist Mack are in attendance at the National Y. M. C. A., at New Orleans.——The entertainment given Tuesday night Oct. 21 for the benefit of the Old Folks Home was quite a success notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather.——Mr. and Mrs. Hamlet Daniel held a reception Friday night Oct. 31. The occasion was Mr. Daniel's birth day anniversary and was largely attended, it was a highly enjoyable affair.——Reuben Napoleon Sutten the little son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Sutten is suffering from pneumonia.——Washington Lewis a highly respectable citizen and an estimable member of the church of Our Merciful Saviour was buried from said church Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The funeral was largely attended.——Dr. Claud W. Wade of Hot Springs, Ark., is in the city.

Hoosier Dramatic Club.

New Albany, Ind., special to THE FREEMAN.

There has been organized in this city an amateur dramatic club which shall be known as the Ida Williams Dramatic Combination. This is what New Albany has needed for some time. They are to appear at the opera house in the near future in Miss Matilda Heron's sensational domestic drama in five acts entitled "Camille." Miss Williams will assume the role of Camille, and it is thought universally that she will make a capital one. She will be supported by Wm. Harris, of Louisville, the young tragedian formerly of the Dumas Literary Club of that city, together with a strong minor club. The following is the caste: Camille, Miss Ida Williams; Armand Duval, J. D. Howard; Moses Duval, (his father) James Stith; Gaston Rieux, John Greene; Count de Vanville, Wm. Harris; Gustave, Robt. Willioms; Messenger, Thos. Sykes; Arthur, Wm. Woods; Madame Prudence, Miss Flossie Thompson; Nicheette, Annie Mosby; Nanine, Zanie Camon; Olympia, Eva Rickman. Watch the columns of this paper for the date of production.——Dr. W. O. Vance has been appointed corresponding secretary of the Louisville Medical Association.——Misses Blanche and Carrie Rickman were in the city Saturday and Sunday.——Miss Maggie Sterrett had a holiday home from her school last week.——J. D. Howard is now agent for this paper. Subscribe with him.

LONGFELLOW.

YOUNG FOLKS COLUMN.

GIBSON CITY, ILL., OCT. 30.

Sir:—You may send me 10 papers and I will try to sell them Saturday. There are lots of people in town on Saturdays and I think I can sell that many. Your friend, Thomas S——t.

Come boys and girls, let's hear from more of you. We have several nice letters in this week, and we are pleased to have the young people write and let other boys and girls know how they are getting along at home and school and on the play grounds. Don't be backward in the matter; we will give you a hearing. You ought to secure a good knife, a pretty reading book or some other valuable prize. Speak right out and show your "grit."

STAUNTON, VA., NOV. 4.

Mr. Editor:—I am a little boy; ma says I will be 10 years old next birthday. I go to school and can read in the 4th reader, and I study geography, grammar and arithmetic. Our teacher is very good and we have a good time at recess. My ma gets your paper and told me you would print my letter if it was well written. I have done my best and I will see if you will print it. No more at present, George C——l.

Well, here it is, George, and nicely written too, it is. We changed it just a little. Write us again.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., OCT. 23.

Editor Young Folk's Column:—I would like to have the prize you offer, but I feel ashamed to ask people to subscribe. Tell me, please, what I could do to get a prize without asking people. Very truly, Ethel B——n.

Ashamed to ask people? Come, come! You should be brave and fear not. People won't hurt you; they will say, "now that is what I like; I like to see girls trying to help themselves and others." Take a piece of paper and write the names of people you think will buy the paper; call on them; tell them you are working for a prize, then send us word how many papers you think you will need. That is all you have to do.

BLOOMINGTON, IND., NOV. 3.

Mr. Editor:—Our paper comes on Saturday, and I read it on Sunday for my mother and father. They can read, but since I go to school, and am in the 7th year they think I should read it while they enjoy their rest. Well, I like to obey my parents and don't complain, although I would rather do my own reading and let other people do theirs. We all like your paper so much, and pa says he couldn't get along without it; but I know he could; he just says that. I think some of your pictures just horrible! Who makes them for you? They are so funny, some of them, I mean. I will try to secure you a few subscribers for I want a good book.

Very truly, Charles B——n.

That is right, Charles, don't be afraid to speak out; go to work and you shall have a fine volume of poems for your trouble.

At Kansas City, Kan., J. J. Thomas, our correspondent, assuming the name of "Regulus," has greatly surprised the literary people of his city and vicinity by saving every copy of THE FREEMAN for one year, which he has bound in a beautiful book. He will use the book in soliciting subscribers.

THE FIELD SPORT.

The Cuban Giants have won 80 and lost 42 games this summer.

The dancing school is soon to be reorganized in Butte City, Montana.

A grand kirmess will be held in Chelsea, Mass., by the colored people.

The grand Fan Social given by the Willing Workers, San Jose, Cal., Oct. was a success.

A grand dance festival was given by the Household of Ruth, No. 178, G. U. O. O. F., at Galveston, Texas, Monday October 27.

The "Our Boys" ball, at the Sixth Avenue Theater, was a success and Messrs. McDonald, Smith, DeMond and others dessrve considerabler credit.

The lawn tennis club numbering about thirty of the elite of Oberlin,s colored ladies and gentlemen played sevral interesting games lately at Mrs. Scott's tennis court.

Frank Hart, the winner of the last 142 hour go-as-you-please in Detroit, is announced as a starter in the next match at the Detroit rink the week of Nov. 16. The $50 entrance fee will undoubtedly keep out the stiff-jointed plodders as well as the local peds.

Mr. W. A. Johnson, of Newport a graduate of the Rogers' High School of that city is a Freshman at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He has the honor of being the first colored young man who ever played in the Institute Foot Ball. His position is half back.

George Jewett, the Afro-American "phenomenon" of the University of Michigan foot ball team, played a remarkable game last Saturday week in Detroit, and was very favorably spoken of by the daily press. He is an Ann Arbor boy and wins applause by his wonderful runs and tackles.

The grand ball of the Diamond Social Club will be given on Wednesday evening, Nov. 26th, at Union Square Hall, 421 Post streeet, San Francisco, Cal. The ball promises to be the finest of the season. Quite a number will be in attendance from Sacramento, Stockton, Marysville and other interior towns.

A large number of boys congregate every Sunday at the corner of Antonie and Adelaide streets New Orleans, and "shoot craps" all day. Their loud actions and noise have made them a nuisance to the neighbors and to passers by. Those who engage in this questionable pastime are boys from six to seven on up to eighteen and twenty.

The Knights of Pythias of Seattle, Washington, are contemplating giving a grand ball in the near future, which will eclipse all previous ones given here. Mr. Coleman, one of the committee, says "we will send to Montana and Colorado so that every man on the floor can have a girl. We have such a limited supply in Seattle that we will have to send abroad for them."

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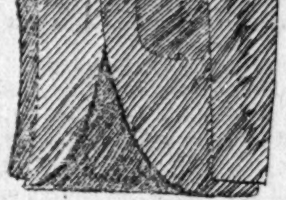

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Culinary Clippings
News

The colored cooks of Atlanta, Ga., are out on a strike.

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Afro-American hotel waiters of Dallas, Texas, are attempting the formation of a Texas Waiter's Union.

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John Banks, the colored Palace hotel bell boy, of San Francisco, who was recently convicted of burglary for stealing a valise belonging to Capt. Morse at the Palace hotel a few weeks ago, was, on last Thursday, sentenced to three years at San Quetin by Judge Shafter.

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The next feature of entertainment at Providence, R. I., will be an "Old Kentucky Supper" which is fixed for an early day. Timely uotice will be given. The supper will embrace all the good things known to Kentucky culinary science and no doubt will be a drawing card.

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The Pullman Car Company has a surplus this year of $2,398,130, as declared at their annual meeting held last week in Chicago. As the porters' fees are not represented in this amount, one can scarcely estimate the year's business at its proper value. Now, if the car porters would only hold a meeting and declare their surplus the true wealth of the company might be arrived at.—Ex.

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T. Perry, who has been engaged at the Plankinton, Milwaukee, Wis., for a number of years and attending school at Wilberforce has finished his theological course and gone to join the Texas conference. He leaves with the best wishes of his many friends for success in his new field of duty. The young men of the Plankinton under the lead of J. J. Miles presented him with a fine bible and twenty-five dollars in money. The waiters of the Plankinton have an excellent record for generosity, and their kindness to each other is unequaled. If they were organized in a body to help each otner they could not be more considerate and kind.

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The headquarters of the Waiters' Union, which has been on Brattle street, Boston, Mass., for the past thirteen years, are now at 23 A Pemberton Square. Their new rooms are pleasantly situated and immense improvement on the old place, being well lighted and dry. Everything about the apartment indicates that the Union is in a prosperous condition and is filling a demand in this city. The present officers of the organization are: president, Richard Bowden; vice-president, Henry H. Jones; treasurer, Charles E. Harris; permanent secretary, B. B. Johnson; corresponding secretary, William H. Garner; chaplin, Cornelius Baily; marshal, Joseph Thompson; board of managers, Wm. Batum, Moses Hare, Z. Moody, Augustus Wiggins and R. S. Johnson. The union makes no distinction, on account of race and nationality. Its doors are open to white waiters, and a few of them have entered therein They will give their 13th annual coffee party at Paine Memorial Hall, Thursday evening, November 20th, and it is to be hoped that it will be well patronized so that a neat sum can be laid away in their treasury to take care of their sick and bury their dead.

EDUCATIONAL.

An Interesting Letter From a Prominent Institution of Learning—A Prosperous College.

Lincoln University Special to The Freeman.

Our scholastic year began September 18th with a larger number of matriculates than the University has had for a great while. The Freshman class numbers sixty. Not only does the increase in the numbers of students promise much for a successful year, but the receipts of several generous bequests add greatly towards the increase of the facilities of the University for doing useful work.

Through the generosity of a friend Prof. Miller has been enabled to expend $2000 in fitting up the laboratory with modern appliances for experimental purposes. The new chapel, a gift of Mrs. Brown, of New Jersey, in the name of her late and lamented daughter, Mary Dodd Brown, is slowly approaching completion. It is expected, however, that it will be ready for occupancy by the beginning of next session, January 2nd, '91. The literary societies are flourishing. That of the theological department has revived and bids fair to rival the college societies in point of argument, oratory and interest. The Garnet, true to her motto, still lives, and begins the new year's work with thirty-two new names added to her roll. At present discussions of a political nature characterize the arguments of her votaries.

S. E. Monroe, of Staunton, Va., one of Garnet's sons, has stumped Chester county for "Delemater and Protection."

The Philosophian Hall presents weekly a magnificent scene. Sixty new, pretty and comfortable table arm chairs receive the advordupois of sixty earnest, ardent and attentive members, while the scintillating rays from a half-dozen rochester add a soothing brilliancy to her beautifully decorated wall. Argument and oratory are rampant. Thirtyt-hree have enlisted this fall under her motto, Essie Quam Vidire. Messrs. E. A. Brown and J. L. Curtis have severed their connection with the University. Mr. Curtis hss entered a law school in Chicago.

G. Fisher has discontinued his boarding club and taken his family to Petersburg, Va. He has accepted a call to do Missionary work in that city.

Messrs S. J. Bamfield and A. M. Robinson received the ordinace of Baptism in the chapel Sunday, Oct. 12th. Rev. B. T. Jones administered at the same service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Luther Nickolas is visiting his relatives in Richmond, Va.

O. Gillingham, of '90, has entered the University an will graduate with the lads of '91.

J. T. S.

Race
Gleanings

The colored stenographers are to have a meet in Detroit, Mich., August, 1891.

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The colored people of Lulu, Miss., are preparing to emigrate to Oklahoma.

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General Smith, a Negro of Anniston, Ala., was shot through the thigh last week, by mistake.

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Jefferson Branham, of Omaha, tired of his wife and step children, kicked up a row. An officer came to the rescue and clipped his wing with a bullet.

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The Colored Savings Bank, of Birmingham, is doing a good business; at the present rate of depositing, the people will soon have $50,000 on deposit in their bank.

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J. W. Baker, Arthur Brown, Will Tanner, Eliza Haines and Catherine Harris, all Negroes, were fined in Memphis, Tenn., one day last week, for various disorderlies.

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Jesse Hildreth and Frank Marshall, the Negroes who captured Rube Burrows, the noted desperado, were promised $100 each for their services. As yet they have not received the money.

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Laura Johnson was hounded to death in Chicago, lately. Being chased by a mob of Negro amazons she jumped from a second story building and received fatal injuries. Jealousy the cause.

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George W. Lattimore, the private secretary of Robert Pinkerton, and Richard Ross, clerk for the law firm of Clapp & Mason, of New York City, have brought suit against William Cunier, a restaurant keeper of that city for an infraction of the civil rights act.

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Joseph Major, one of the wealthiest colored men in Virginia, died several days ago on the estate of President Wm. Henry Harrison, on the James river. Major was the father of thirty children and at the time of his death was 101 years old. His fourth child by his first wife is sixty years of age. Major leaves about $50,000 for distribution among his children.

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Brazil should make us blush. Says a Brazillian official, who is visiting this country: "I don't like the way you people treat the Negro. In Brazil no one hesitates to work beside a Negro; no one is ashamed to shake hands with a Negro. We believe that God has made all men of one blood, and, whether they are black, white or red, they have the same rights."—Ex.

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A statement has been prepared at the Postoffice Department showing that the total number of employes in the Postoffice Department at Washington is 606; of this number 62, or over ten per cent., are colored. The total number in the mail bag repair shop is 136, of whom 32, or over twenty-three per cent., are colored. Combining the two, there are 94 colored employes in a total number of 742, or nearly thirteen per cent.

Dreadful!

Dr. J. R. Buchanan, of Louisville, has done considerable in the way of prophesying and psychometrizing in his time, but his latest effort in that line eclipses all the rest for brilliancy and originality. He writes in The Arena that our earth is bowling along toward "an infinite horror, in which a sudden death is our happiest fate." So far as the doctor is concerned personally he does not care, since he is already on the home stretch of his last quarter of a century, and the terror will not come in his time.

But for the rest of the world, those who are still to live "twenty-three or twenty-four years," there will come a "convulsionary period" the like of which has not been known since Noah's flood. To begin, the power of the church will be shivered to splinters—nothing left of it. The power of the state will fare little better, and "the marriage relation will approximate freedom." There will come the utter destruction of monarchy, leaving only the sultan of Turkey on his shabby and effete old throne. It is very kind of Dr. Buchanan to except the sultan from the junk shop of oblivion to which he consigns all the rest of the monarchs. But even we of the United States are not to escape. The Republican party will go to sticks, to be followed by the Democratic party in power; the Democrats will give no better satisfaction than the Republicans did, and they too will go down ingloriously, never to rise again. This ought to be a satisfaction to both parties. The Labor party will then take hold, and run things to suit itself.

Sanguinary revolution will break out in Europe at the beginning of the next century. Nineteen years from now we shall have in this country "war or quasi war," with scenes of so horrible a nature that in mercy to our nervous systems the doctor does not tell us what they are. Nature will follow politics and the whole planet will go to flinders. In thirteen or fourteen years cold seasons will stop growing things and there will be famine and pestilence. The Mississippi river will shake his mane and go on the rampage, and he never will stop his antics again, but will become a periodical horror, engulfing unhappy creatures along his banks without warning or mercy. The choicest horror we have left to close with. That is that in twenty-three or twenty-four years, suddenly, about the hour of noon, day not stated, in the twinkling of an eye the whole Atlantic coast south of New England will sink fifty feet under water.

A Japanese Psalm of Life.

The poet Longfellow's old home, with its priceless memories and treasures, is still occupied by his daughter, who does many benevolent acts in a quiet way. Among the interesting mementoes in Longfellow's possession were an inkstand that had belonged to Coleridge and a sketch of Minnehaha falls painted by Lord Dufferin.

But the most attractive of all in the collection, perhaps, is a very large carved bookcase containing copies of Longfellow's works in all the foreign languages into which they have been translated. A yellow Japanese fan contains the "Psalm of Life" inscribed on it in full, translated into that language. The simple words,

> Tell me not in mournful numbers
> Life is but an empty dream,
> For the soul is dead that slumbers,
> And things are not what they seem,

look like ordinary tea chest characters on the fan. But when translated into the gorgeously flowing oriental tea chest tongue, and then rendered back into plain, practical English, the familiar lines read as follows:

> Do not manifest your discontent in a piece of verse.
> A hundred years (of life) are as one sleep;
> (So soon are they gone),
> The short dream (early death),
> The long dream (death after long life),
> Alike are dreams (so far as the body is concerned)
> After death.
> There still remains the spirit which is to live inviolate.

The United States has its Fourth of July. Japan will hereafter have its 1st of July, and as it is so near China fireworks will be both cheap and handy. July 1 of this year the Japanese first voted, though they have been a nation since long before Romulus founded Rome. The qualifications for suffrage are hedged about with requirements of property and otherwise that make the right as yet far from being a universal one: still, it has been granted, and the Japs voted for members of their national legislature. July 1 is their independence day.

The sum and substance of the Behring sea seal fishery dispute between Great Britain and the United States seems to be about this: When Russia owned Alaska she gave notice that Behring was a closed sea, belonging to her. While other nations might sail ships through the passage at will the right to fish there belonged to Russia alone. This was never disputed till the United States purchased Alaska. Russia formally ceded to us all her rights and claims. But by that time British America itself was becoming rapidly settled with colonists, who claimed the right to everything they could get in waters adjacent to their shores. Hence the trouble. Prior to 1886 Great Britain never claimed the privilege of fishing for seals in Alaskan waters. She has no right to claim such privilege now any more than she had when Russia owned Alaska. This is Secretary Blaine's conclusion and the substance of what he said in his correspondence with Lord Salisbury.

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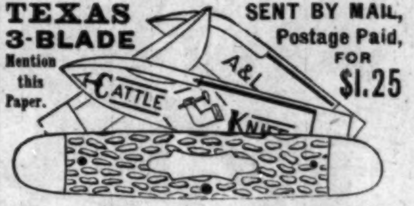

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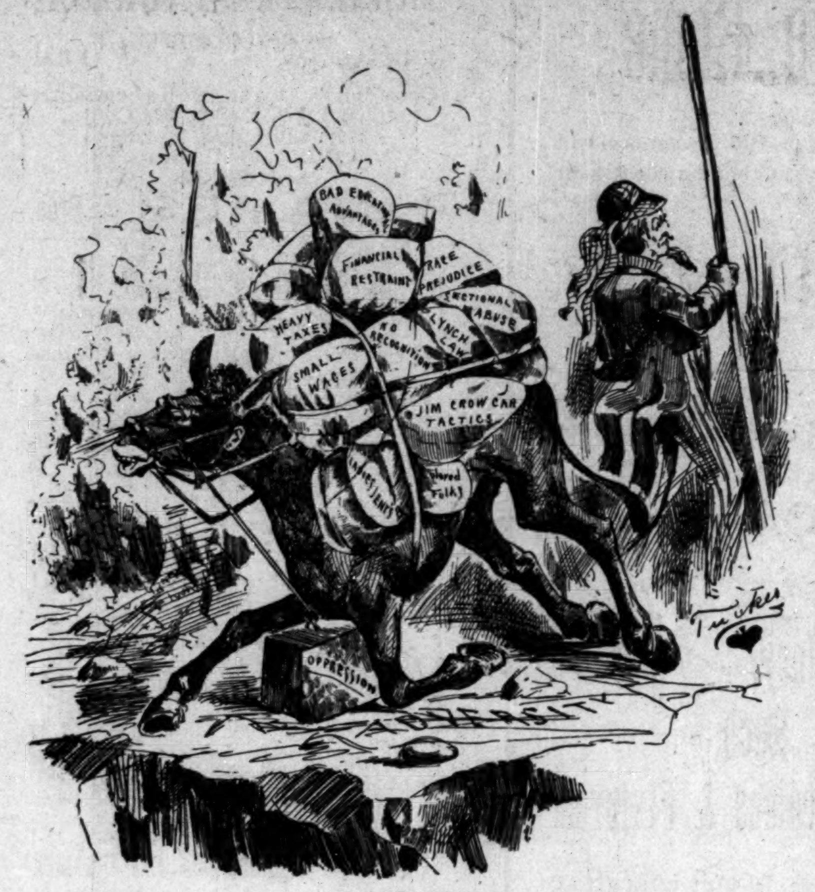

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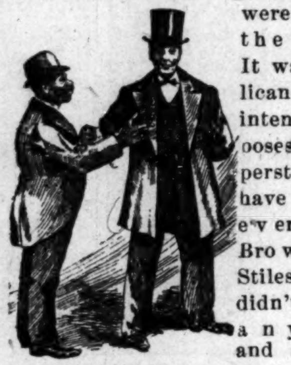
Echoes from the Late Election—They Were not in it—Taggart Elected by an Overwhelming Majority—How it was Done.



Last Tuesday was a beautiful day. The sun shone brightly, and there were no clouds in the firmament. It was a Republican day to all intents and purposes and the superstitious would have "put up" everything on Browning and Stiles. The writer didn't "put up" anything and advised his bewildered friends not to do so except for Taggart and his ticket. The mode of voting was new, and there was great apprehension in both parties as to how it would work. Well, it worked like a charm and decidedly to our way of thinking. Taggart was elected by a majority of over 3,000, followed closely by Wilson, Backus, Holtzman and the entire ticket. As is generally known, the State also went Democratic, and the colored voters help to make it so.

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The tariff is a tax and seems to have been a local question everywhere.

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The political turncoats are as thick as leaves in Vallambrosia. They all "voted right."

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The defeat of Prof. W. D. McCoy is to be regretted. He is a represeniative Afro-American and would, have done credit to the race in the event of his election.

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We aro especially proud of the election of Mr. Taggart, and the local ticket, and we are glad to note the fact that the colored voters assisted in it. The eyes of the intelligent colored voters are no longer in the back of their heads. They are looking foward and do not need men like Lynch to instruct them how to vote in local affairs

WANTED TO KNOW.

What the hirelings will do now that the campaing is over.

How you like the Australian system of voting and its first results.

What Rev. (?) Morton thinks of it.

If the white republicans didn't defeat McCoy.

If orator Christy's campaign speeches didn't have something to do with the landslide.

If Lynch will be sent for again to abuse independents and instruct the "man and brother" how to vote.

Who "hit the ceiling" last Tuesday, and if Browning will prosecute the—Taggart coons?

What Browning thinks of the rail road vote and of the resolutions from his "friends?"

What Manning, Hill and Simpson stock is worth about this time?

Who will be the next chief of police and chief of fire departmen?

If Rev. (?) Townsend arsenic and Brer Morton's bread poisning had the desired effect.

If politics isn't bad business for preachers and especially so when they stoop to the dirty work of abusing and calling names.

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R. S. Durk.

We urge our agents and correspondents to read carefuly the Editor's Talk.

THE WINDY CITY.

Ninth Battalion—Deaths—Weddings—Comments—Society and Societies' News—Changes and Movements of People and Persons—The Pith of the News Gleaned by Tuda.

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The inaugural reception and ball given by the 9th Batallion was a unique affair. It was out of the regular order of general affairs, and excelled the anticipation of the anxious public who showed fair appreciation by a large attendance. The program of the evening consisted of addresses by Major D. C. Craeger, and R N. Mitchell, drill by the Drum and Bugle Corps, twenty in number. Drum Major Plummer, bugle instructor, Sergeant Hunt, batallion reviewer, Major Johnson; officers, J E Bush, adjutant; Dr H H Williams, surgeon, J N Croker, inspector of rifle practice, J B Ellington, quartermaster, captains: J C Buckner, Co A, W S Tipton, Co B. The ladies presented the Battalion with two large silk flags National and State colors. The skirmish drill and parade was viewed by Major Johnson, General Fitz Simmons and staff, Col. Turner and staff, and others amid the admiration and applause of a vast audience. Soldier's amusements were indulged in, such as leap frog and tug of war between Co A and B, A, the dude Co—winning. Bicycle riding was indulged in by the officers. The grand march was led by Major and Mrs. Johnson. The major's headquarters were stocked with the choicest eatables, where THE FREEMAN scribe was escorted by the adjutant to sample which he did. The refreshments were free and plentiful—35 gallons of ice cream, 200 pounds of cake, barrels of lemonade and other delicacies were served.

The sentiments expressed at Washington is being discussed regardidg the World's Fair here. The question involved is Hon B K Bruce equal to the position suggested.

Mrs J Q Grant, M A M Esther Court 3023 Armour avenue, is ill; C W Bearshears is improving; Mrs J Compton is indisposed; Miss Alice Payne is convalescent; Wm Carlisle is seriously ill.

Miss Alice V. Johnson and James Thompson were married Thursday evening; the former is of Baltimore, Md., the latter of Hampton, Va., where he owns valuable property.

James Hale Porter did good work for his party through Illinois and Missouri and on several occasions he was met by bands. His political career, with the assistance of Mr. Adams promises his worthiness.

H B Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday here, en route to Staunton, Va, to visit relatives. His home is in Wallace, Idaho, where he runs a large laundry, and owns valuable real estate. He is also agent of THE FREEMAN.

We have received the card of the Misses M Booth and S J Nichols millinery, trimmings and toilet articles. The popularity of these ladies and their ability warrants them unbounded success. Let more of our girls follow.

By the death of Mrs. Maynard we lose one of our best women. She was ever ready to assist the sick and needy. She was a member of Esther Court and the Daughter's Union. Sheaves of wheat from the former and a broken wheel from the latter, were the floral offerings.

The Catholics celebrated their Bishop's twenty-fifth anniversary last week. There were 25,000 people in the night parade which presented a grand spectacle. The exercises at the auditorium was largely attended. Miss Rosa Smith was selected as pianist.

We wonder if Mr Keller, the would-be correspondent and solicitor, thinks his malicious tactics toward THE FREEMAN never reaches us. He is making enemies, not friends. THE FREEMAN and its agent wins in Chicago on their merits, and have no objection to others doing the same.

Ball room etiquette and decorum are the highest social arts of society. Dancing is a much sought after and exhilerating exercises for the youthful minds and intellect, as well as person. One cannot make themselves more conspicuous, or more sought after than the masters of the art. In our special "ad" column appears the notice of the well-known Ideal Dancing Company, whose reputation is national.

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NON RESIDENT NOTICE.

Susie Henton vs. Edward Henton.	State of Indiana, Marion County, ss: IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF MARION COUNTY, In the State of Indiana. No. 41457. Complaint for Divorce.

BE IT KNOWN, That on the 1st day of November, 1890, the above named plaintiff, by her attorneys, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Marion County, in the State of Indiana, her complaint against the above named defendant, Edward Henton, and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person, showing that said defendant, Edward Henton, is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and whereas said plaintiff having by endorsement on said complaint required said defendant to appear in said Court and answer or demur thereto, on the 5th day of January, 1891.

NOW, THEREFORE, By order of said Court, said defendant last above named is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against him, and that unless he appear and answer or demur thereto, at the calling of said cause on the 5th day of January, 1891, the same being the 1st judicial day of a term of said Court, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Indianapolis, on the first Monday in January, 1891, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged, will be heard and determined in his absence.

JNO. R. WILSON, Clerk.

FRANKLIN & FRANKLIN,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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